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On The Great White Way



NEAR-NEWS AND CHATTER FOR SATURDAY NIGHT

To the lady first correctly guessing the identity of the person of whom the following is a character sketch, and bringing a copy of this paper to The Tribune office, a cash prize of \$1.00 will be given. The subject of the sketch is a prominent citizen of La Crosse. After winning one prize, a contestant will not be eligible to again compete for a period of three months.

Carl Bond was the subject of last week's "Guess Who's Here" contest, the winner being Miss Bloom, 318 South Ninth street.

GUESS WHO'S HERE

If you have a "half-breed," keep away from him, for he's on the La Follette job the year round. He used to circulate a good deal, and over in Southern Minnesota they were never sure whether he was selling insurance on the square and talking "Bob" on the side, or whether the insurance stuff was just a policy to cover his real mission. But finally, after one case of misplaced confidence, he broke into the salaried end of the political game. That was as it should be, for if the progressive organization had anything to give out, he had certainly earned it by uncomplaining years of unrequited loyalty. He's one of the new congressional king-makers, and the "pull" he would enjoy were he to land his man might pull him along to bigger and better things. If he's a "round-head," as they say of his nationality, there's something in the head. He's pleasant (unless you abuse Bob) and he's industrious as they make em. Blond, good sized and exuberantly healthy, he's always happy. He knows a lot about you, because it's his business to keep a record of your worldly goods conveyed by warranty or quitclaim. "A-a-y gollie, he's a gude man."

A Batch of Bachelors

The funny part of it was, we didn't know who wrote them. They came, unsigned and in plain envelopes, from points all the way from Billings to Cheyenne—each a humorous classic, rich with the whim of the western country. We read them, laughed uproariously, and slipped them in a pigeonhole marked, "Quips and Cranks."

Then we met "Bach." (N. C. Bachellor.)

"Get them smile tablets I sent you?" asked the man under the sombrero, extending a coat sleeve with a protruding grip.

"D'you write that stuff?"

The question was a ruffler. "Now who th' h—I but me'd be writin' you that drivin' from Missoula! Who?"

And we said, no other, and echo answered, "no other." Well, that gave the stories "local color," and having been accordingly switched from "Quips and Cranks" to "White Way," here cometh the first tablet:

Sombody found a pocket of "free gold" on the spot, and they rushed

there from other "diggins," a strange mixture of prospectors, barroom loafers, border outlaws and frontier speculators. The gold didn't pan out, but a hotel, a dozen shacks, a general store and twenty-three saloons had sprung up, so most of the men stuck around. Then came another boom, and before it petered out, in one way and another 1,500 people had been attracted to the spot bringing a pack or looking for a grubstake.

But there was no paydirt, and the men woke up one morning to a realization of the fact that they had a "city" without visible means of support. What to do? A gent who had been watching progress as she progressed in the east got an idea. Geeser Gulch couldn't have a "Home Coming," but it could have a "Stick Together Festival." And so it was decreed, and Geeser Gulch's first "booster day" was set.

Oratory held sway for hours on Stick Together Day, and what with sentiment and libations of red liquor there was food for cheers and tears. At last Coyote Kildare, derelict long afloat on the border seas, felt moved to participate.

"Feller citizens," he declaimed from the top of a molasses hoghead, "stich t'gether! Dasch right, stich t'gether. We gotta stich t'gether. Thain't nothin' else t' do. We been driven outta every other diggin on the border. We're so durned popular every sheriff from the Kootenay to Tucson has got our photographs in his album. Stich t'gether, feller citizens, thair aint no place else to go."

Immediately the drift of Coyote Kildare's remarks was observed, hasty glances were exchanged by leading citizens of Geeser Gulch, and as he enunciated the sentence with which his address was destined to close a pair of powerful arms closed round his knees and he was lifted bodily from the barrel.

"Slack job," commented Houn Dawg Dawson to Alfalfa Hemp about fifteen minutes later.

"Yep," mused Alfalfa, "nearest lynchin I ever see."

Furstmann Quarantined

Dr. J. M. Furstmann is probably the first health commissioner to quarantine an empty house. Moreover, it was his own house, and he was the excluded party.

Mrs. Furstmann is visiting at her home in Indiana, and returning from a business trip to Milwaukee Wednesday night. Dr. Furstmann strolled out to his house. Shortly afterward he appeared at the Elks' club, where he told the following remarkable story:

"I went home, but inserted my key in the wrong hole and it slipped clear through. I was afraid to try a window, for fear some neighbor would mistake me for a burglar and pot me. I guess it's me for a hotel."

A culture taken from Dr. Furstmann's breath to detect the presence of bacterial microbes was negative. However, Elks are still wondering whether he inserted that key into the coal chute or the bay window.

GOVERNMENT SUES STEAMSHIP POOL

Steamship Companies Plying Between Gotham and the Orient in Alleged Combine

START SUIT IN A FEW DAYS

Dissolution Proceedings, Charging Rebating and Violation of Sherman Law to Be Filed

NEW YORK, March 30.—An anti-trust suit for dissolution for various steamship companies engaged in traffic between New York and the far east, via the Suez Canal, was filed today here in the federal courts by District Attorney Wise.

The companies are charged in the bill with pooling freight rates and rebating to the concerns who ship only by their lines in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The companies included are: The American Asiatic Steamship company; Anglo-American Oil company; Hamburg-American line; China-Japan Steamship company; the Lancashire Shipping company, and their American agents.

The government sets forth what it declared to be copies of written agreements, drawn and signed by the defendant companies in London on April 12, 1905. In these agreements the company arranged an eastern and western pool, under the terms of about all their earnings should be "lumped," current expenses paid, and the profits proportionately divided.

Shippers who patronized their lines were rewarded with a rebate, it is alleged of ten per cent for their "loyalty." In order to control all the business, they formed a pool. All business from New York, London and the far west was apportioned to the different companies in the trust, according to their number of ships.

MILWAUKEE EPIDEMIC

200 FAMILIES IN CREAM CITY AFFECTED BY SCARLET FEVER AND DIPHTHERIA

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 30.—Dr. C. I. Spencer of the state board of health arrived here today from Madison prepared to investigate conditions of a virulent scarlet fever and diphtheria epidemic here. Although there are but forty cases quarantined, it is estimated at least 200 families are affected by one or the other of the diseases which have caused a large death toll to children. The city is thoroughly alarmed and it was stated today that a general quarantine order may be issued.

CLARK GETS TWO YEARS

Theodore Clark, age 18, Onalaska, pleaded guilty to a charge of incest preferred against him by his grandfather, this morning, in county court. He was later arraigned before Judge E. C. Higbee in circuit court and sentenced to two years in the state prison at Waupun.

PLATTE IN FLOOD

LINCOLN, Neb., March 30.—While the flood waters in the valley of the Platte river and its tributaries were receding today, the property damage is the most severe in the history of the state.

CAN'T END STRIKE BEFORE 2 WEEKS

If Agreement Is Ratified by Miners No Trouble Can Arise in Next Two Years

COMPROMISE FOR TWO YEARS

Will Need Fortnight to Take Referendum Vote on the Compromise Agreement

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 30.—The compromise agreement effected by a sub-scale committee offering a solution of the bituminous miners' wage controversy was ratified early this afternoon by the joint committee of the whole, 64 miners and operators.

Submitted immediately to a referendum vote in the bituminous districts of Illinois, Indiana and Pennsylvania, the outcome will be known in about two weeks. Work will be suspended beginning April 1st pending the vote.

The compromise agreement to be approved or rejected by the mass of bituminous miners contains the following demands:

An increase in pay of five cents a ton for screened coal, 3 cents a ton on the run of the mine coal, and 5.25 per cent on day labor in the mines.

All dead work shall be paid for. Uniform work day and wage scale for all outside and side day labor. Uniform day of seven hours shall be basis for all scales (waived.) Only five-hour day on Saturday with full pay (waived.) Pay shall be made weekly.

No limit to the amount of reduction made through company's office for miners' organizations.

That no discrimination be shown in the employment of mine workers in regard to the creed, nationality, color or activity in the union. That all local differences be settled in the district affected.

That this contract be in effect for two years beginning April 1, 1912.

U. S. TAKES A HAND

POST OFFICE INVESTIGATORS PROBE RIOTS AT ROCK ISLAND; AFTER LOONEY'S PAPER

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., March 30.—The United States government took a hand in the affairs in this city today, when special postoffice investigators arrived here to investigate charges that improper matter was sent through the mails in a weekly paper published by John Looney.

This paper was issued today and was permitted in the mails. The attack on Mayor Schriver, it is said, would be discontinued because of the inflated state of the public mind. An editorial places all the blame for the rioting and bloodshed upon Mayor Schriver. Looney is still in the hospital as the result of the beating administered by Schriver following last Saturday's attack on the mayor in the paper.

FIRST BOAT ON RIVER

The first motor boat ride taken on the Mississippi at this point was witnessed this afternoon when William Ott drove his launch above the bridge and swinging around a pier returned to the boat house. The ice in the river is rapidly melting and the main channel is free from ice in most places. It is thought the ice will go out completely within the next week.

MILITIA AT ROCK ISLAND

The Sixth regiment, Illinois National guard marching through Spencer Square, in the center of Rock Island's business district, during the recent riots.

ARMS MAY NEVER REACH AMERICANS

Believed that Rebels May Intercept Shipment and Seize the Weapons Sent to Mexico

LEAVES AMERICANS HELPLESS

If Arms Do Not Reach Citizens Held in Mexico City, They Will Be at the Mob's Mercy

WASHINGTON, March 30.—A fresh source of fear for Americans at Mexico City was admitted by Secretary of State Wilson today. Word has been received here which indicates that perhaps the arms and ammunition which Uncle Sam is rushing to the capital, in anticipation of the possible fall of the Madero regime, may be intercepted and never reach their destination.

In such a case, the 1,500 Americans in Mexico City will be left helpless against mob fury. Weapons have reached a prohibitive price in Mexico City. The shipment now enroute would be a rich prize for the rebels.

In addition, American conductors and engineers on the Vera Cruz railroad are expected to strike, and this would put operation of trains into the hands of Mexicans. It is not regarded as improbable that a Mexican train crew in charge of the American rifles would sell the arms to the highest bidder.

This apprehension is held seriously in Washington, and according to Wilson the arms will be held in Vera Cruz unless it is very certain they will go through. Reports that the United States might establish a "legation guard" of marines, like that at Peking, were denied today. The administration feels that if a single American soldier set foot on Mexican soil, an outbreak would ensue against the "gringos."

COOKING SCHOOL COMES TO CLOSE

Masonic Temple Seating Capacity Taxed to the Utmost at Every Session

DISPLAYS WERE ATTRACTIVE

Home Industries Demonstrate Ability to Keep Pace with Foreign Producers

The Tribune's cooking school and demonstrations of that new and fascinating discovery, cooking in paper bags comes to a close this afternoon and to say the affair has been a success is putting it mildly. At every session the large basement room in the Masonic Temple has been filled to its seating capacity with representative women of La Crosse and vicinity who were anxious to learn all about the new cooking method and many have been the expressions of regret that the cooking school could not remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Marshment, The Tribune's cooking expert, has made good with the women of this city; her explanations and demonstrations have been clear and easy to follow and her pleasing manner and painstaking efforts to instruct her classes in the art of paper bag cookery have been commented on by the many women who have attended the sessions day after day.

The Tribune is particularly pleased with the manner in which the women of this city have demonstrated their interest in the cooking school and desires to take this means of thanking the many concerns which by their displays and co-operation did so much to contribute to the success of the affair. This display was attractive and added greatly to the general interest at the cooking school and were visited by many hundreds of women during the days and nights of the demonstrations.

Mrs. Marshment showed by her demonstrations of Marvel Flour that this meritorious home product is really superior to the widely touted foreign brands and that it pays to patronize home industries, the results secured from home made goods are more satisfactory.

The La Crosse Gas & Electric company did much toward the success of the cooking school by furnishing Mrs. Marshment an elegant elevated oven Eclipse Gas Range on which to do her cooking and had an attractive display of the latest model stoves and ranges on the floor. Mrs. Marshment in turn proved the actual superiority of gas for cooking and demonstrated that this clean and economical fuel is almost a necessity in every well regulated kitchen. The many possibilities of a gas range were attractively and conclusively shown at the cooking school and the co-operation of the public service company is appreciated.

An attractive display was that of the Ice Cream & Butter company. Their booth was visited by every woman who attended the cooking school and this enterprising concern served ice cream, pimento cheese and wafers and their celebrated healthful food and drink, Lacto Milk. This product is something comparatively new in La Crosse and there was a great deal of interest displayed in Lacto Milk. An attractive folder describing Lacto and its healthful properties was handed to each visitor and there is no doubt but that Lactor will be tried in every home in this city before long.

The hardware display of the Fred Kroner Hardware company was appreciated by the many women who stopped to look at the latest cooking devices and appliances for the kitchen. Most complete is the stock of this well known concern and Mrs. Marshment's demonstrations of the famous Caloric Fireless Cookstove were eagerly watched by the interested ladies attending the cooking school. The Caloric is handled exclusively in this city by the Fred Kroner Hardware Company.

The Norgaard Soap company of Winona had a demonstration of their excellent products, Old Country Green Soap, Ox Gall Cleanser and Almond Complexion soap. These products were proven at the cooking school and the possibilities of all of them demonstrated by an actual try-out.

The famous Hoosier Kitchen cabinet which was displayed by Nelsons was quite an attraction to the women who saw each day what a big help it is in the kitchen. As Mrs. Marshment stated, "It saves me miles of steps" and this clever lady remarked that she could not keep house without a Hoosier. All in all the cooking school was a most attractive proposition and The Tribune shares the regret that it cannot remain longer.

WOLFE URGED TO BE A CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

La Crosse Attorney May Be Forced to Make Run on the Democratic Ticket

PRESSURE GROWS STRONG

Has Been Managing State Campaign for Wilson for the Last Two Weeks

RETURNS FROM MILWAUKEE

Says New Jersey Man Will Receive Democratic Nomination; Tells of Campaign

Leading progressive democrats of the state are urging William F. Wolfe, of this city, to accept the democratic gubernatorial nomination. That this is a fact, Mr. Wolfe would not deny, but his discussion of the matter was confined to the assertion, "I'll continue to practice law in this land of milk and honey, right here at La Crosse."

However, it is known that the pressure is getting very strong, and not all Mr. Wolfe's friends are sure he will be able to persist in his refusal of the honor. Mr. Wolfe has also been urged to take the nomination for attorney general but he has declined to encourage this movement.

Running Wilson Campaign

Attorney W. F. Wolfe returned from Milwaukee this morning, where he has been in charge of the Woodrow Wilson campaign in this state for the last two weeks. Mr. Wolfe says that during that time he has been in contact with leading democrats from all over the nation, and it is their opinion that Woodrow Wilson will receive the nomination at Baltimore beyond a doubt. Men like Senators Gore of Oklahoma and O'Gorman of New York, and others maintain this on the theory that democrats throughout the country generally are convinced of the fact that Woodrow Wilson is intellectually the greatest democrat in this country, and will gain sufficient strength from the independent vote to insure his election, he said.

Opposition United

"In Wisconsin," said Mr. Wolfe, "we are compelled to meet an anomalous situation. The followers of Clark and Harmon have united and are making the support of both under the Clark banner. The managers of the Clark campaign largely under the direction of Hearst of Illinois, and his newspapers, have attacked Governor Wilson in this state, and resorted to misrepresentation and falsehoods to carry their point. When I arrived in Milwaukee, they had apparently solidified the Polish and Italian vote in that city against Governor Wilson on misrepresentations obtained through the Hearst newspapers. Governor Wilson's presence, however, among those people ten days ago, and his speech delivered at the south side armory, to a large extent disillusioned the leading Poles and convinced them that the Clark managers were attempting to place them in a foolish light before the American people."

Hearst Fabrication

"The Clark managers also have circularized saloonkeepers of Wisconsin with the Hearst fabrication that Governor Wilson was a prohibitionist. How far reaching this will be cannot be stated, but it is believed that we have reached all these people with the truth."

"It is our conviction that all thinking democrats in the state are with us, and if Wilson is nominated, he can not only be elected, but will carry Wisconsin and other western state similarly situated."

TO BOTTLE WATER OF NOTED SPRINGS

Dr. G. Y. Freeman, long owner of the mineral springs at Galesville, has sold them to A. T. Twesme, former assemblyman. Mr. Twesme is the representative of a syndicate which plans to carbonate the water and bottle it for the market. The water will also be piped to Galesville from the spring.

PREDICTS GOOD CROPS

FARGO, N. D., March 30.—With the beginning of seeding by a few farmers in the northwest, crop experts and farmers today predicted the best season for grain in years.

YOUNG'S PIER BURNS

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 30. Young's pier, the oldest and most popular of the big piers, is today a ruin, the entire structure being completely destroyed by fire last night.

GUINE FINE \$12.50

Jess Guire was fined \$12.50 and costs by Judge E. Cronon in police court this morning. Guire pleaded guilty to drunkenness.

SMALL BOY MURDERED

RHODE ISLAND EXCITED BY DISCOVERY OF BRUTAL CRIME AGAINST 12 YEAR OLD LAD

NORTH PROVIDENCE, R. I., Mar. 30.—The entire police power of the state was ordered into action today to solve what already has proven the most mysterious crime in the history of the state. Twelve year old Willie Mathews, the crack student of his class, disappeared after leaving the school one month ago today.

Yesterday Charles Green saw what he thought was a torn bundle of rags. It was the decomposed body of a small boy. The police recognized the clothes as those worn by Willie Mathews when he disappeared. The child had been terribly maltreated and murdered. An autopsy showed that the body had been mutilated before death and that most of the clothing had been torn from it. A number of assaults on children in this vicinity have been reported and there is a growing belief that an insane criminal is at large.

SAYS HE DIDN'T BEG

Kolman Halperin when arraigned before Judge John Brindley in county court this morning on the charge of begging, pleaded not guilty. In answer to Judge Brindley's announcement that he would be held for trial until Monday, Halperin declared he did not want a trial but did want to leave the city. Witnesses will be subpoenaed for Monday.

WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Probably rain or snow tonight or Sunday; colder.

For Wisconsin: Probably rain or snow tonight or Sunday; colder west portion tonight; colder Sunday.

For Minnesota: Snow tonight or Sunday; much colder tonight and east portion Sunday; cold wave south and west portion.

For Iowa: Rain or snow tonight or Sunday; warmer extreme east and colder central and west portions tonight; colder Sunday with cold wave northwest portion.

Weather Conditions

The eastern storm has passed to the extreme northeast and the weather has cleared throughout the Atlantic states. It is also fair in all other sections, except in North Dakota, Montana and the northern plateau region where snow is falling. The pressure is low in the southwest and a secondary depression is located in northwestern Minnesota. An area of high pressure has developed in the northwest and the temperature has fallen 10 to 30 degrees from northern Utah through Montana and western North Dakota into the Canadian northwest and to below zero at a few Canadian stations. It is also colder in the Atlantic states and Ohio valley and warmer from Texas to Minnesota.

Stations.	River Flood.	24-Hour Stage.	Height.	Change.
St. Paul	14	2.4	-1.6	
La Crosse	12	4.9	-0.5	
St. Louis	30	29.0	-1.5	

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A \$15 Spring Dress

And Several Other Ready-to-Wear Garments. Come in and See How You Can Get One of These Free

NORTHWEST NEWS

TELEGRAM SWINDLE PROVES SUCCESS

GRAND RAPIDS, Wis., March 30.—Andrew Hansen, a farmer, recently received a telegram purporting to have come from his son, a member of the regular army in Sacramento, Cal., requesting that the amount of \$70 be telegraphed him at once, the telegram being signed Dan Hansen. Mr. Hansen sent the amount as requested. The following day another message came, signed by the same name and asking for \$60 more. This aroused the suspicion of Mr. Hansen, who stopped payment of the first amount sent, and notified the police of Sacramento. Word has just been received of the arrest of a man who signed the name of Dan Hansen to the telegrams and who, it is alleged, has received substantial returns for some time as the result of this new scheme to swindle.

Holland is the one European country where coffee can be imported free of duty.

CANCER RATE IS GROWING RAPIDLY

ROCHESTER, Minn., March 30.—Cancer is fast tightening its grip on the American nation, and is becoming one of the great problems of medical science, is the statement of Dr. L. B. Wilson, bacteriologist of the Mayo staff of this city. There is a great and growing necessity for an awakening among laymen to the ravages of cancer, he says, a disease which today has a high rate of mortality, one to fifteen in male and one to nine in female.

DETECTIVE RETURNS TO FACE ARREST

WASHBURN, Wis., March 30.—Benjamin F. Runkle, the detective from this city who was arrested at Eau Claire the first of the week, charged with criminal libel and attempted blackmail of the Edward Hines Lumber company, returned home today, friends in this city having gone on his bail bond. The mill of the Hines Lumber company in this city was destroyed by fire in July, 1906, and for the loss more than \$70,000 in insurance was collected.

WISCONSIN NEWS

PUBLIC OFFICIALS MUST STAND TAX

MADISON, Wis., March 30.—Despite Attorney General Bancroft's opinion that salaries of all constitutional officers under the state government are exempt from income taxation, the state tax commission will advise the assessors of income to include in their assessment salaries of all officials except federal. The commission makes this statement: "As administrative officers we are required to resolve doubts in favor of taxability, and we do not regard the attorney general's opinion as conclusive. The public interest requires us to adhere to this rule, because we are here to represent the public rather than the individual taxpayer solely. If any individual officerholder desires to contest this question he has an undoubted right to do so." Practically every state officer has signed his intention not to take advantage of the attorney general's ruling, and most of them have already made return of their income blanks.

OFFICER RESIGNS TO BE OBLIGING

SUPERIOR, Wis., March 30.—Chiefly because his name was dragged into the political fight now on in Superior between Van Buren and Konkke, both candidates for mayor, Darwin Scoon, who is also night police chief, yesterday turned in his resignation to Police Chief Vincent McKinnon. Joseph Konkke, candidate for mayor of Superior under the commission form of government, declared in a speech delivered at a public meeting held the other night that, if he were elected mayor of Superior, about the first thing he would do would be to ask Scoon for his resignation, "for the good of the service."

Scoon started about eleven years ago as patrol driver.

INCOME TAX LAW WILL BE CHANGED

MADISON, Wis., March 30.—That some amendments to the income tax law are imperatively necessary and will be proposed in the 1913 legislature is stated by Chairman Nils P. Haugen of the state tax commission. In the main the desired changes are in the direction of a more satisfactory definition of income. Some administrative details may also be changed. Everything considered, the law has met with no more opposition than was to be expected, and Chairman Haugen said it will have a fair trial.

OFFICIALS STOP CHINESE VOTE

MADISON, Wis., March 30.—Chinese students at the University of Wisconsin who attempted to register for Tuesday's election have been turned down by the officials in charge. It is held they are not citizens. One student who claimed citizenship because he had been a citizen of Hawaii, an American possession, was not listed by the election officials because he had no papers to prove his claim.

MAY LOSE SIGHT

VALLEY CITY, N. D., March 30.—As the result of a personal quarrel with Sam Oliver of Sanborn, W. J. Emery a barber of that town, is in jail here, charged with assault. It is alleged that Emery struck Oliver in the eye with the butt of a revolver, practically destroying his eyesight.

The ideals a man lives up to he has radically revised, so he can.

"STAY EAST, YOUNG MAN" IS WARNING

California State Federation of Labor Warns Men Against Going West

LABORERS EXCEED DEMAND

Pacific Coast No Longer Field For Realization of Ambition Says Council

That Horace Greeley's advice "go west young man" does not apply today is evident from the following communication received by John Rae, local labor organizer from California State Federation of Labor: San Francisco, Cal., March 4, 1912 To Whom It May Concern:—

During the past few months, San Francisco and California have been advertised in the various sections of the country as an ideal place for men who desire employment at high wages. This sort of falsehood has been continued by designing men and institutions until California has been flooded with idle men, who have been lured to the land of sunshine and flowers by the agents of grinding greed, who hoped by this means to reap handsome profits.

These falsehoods have been believed by many persons because of the fact that the Panama-Pacific exposition is to be held in San Francisco in 1915, and another exposition in San Diego at the same time. Otherwise, the viciousness of the mammoth-loving gentry might not have yielded such returns.

The truth is, that there is at the present time an army of idle men in California, larger than at any time since the great panic of 1893-1895, seventeen years ago, and there is no prospect of relief from this condition of affairs. In San Francisco alone, there are 30,000 idle men among its resident citizens, to say nothing of those who have been inveigled into coming to this coast by the greedy railroads, real estate sharks and other plunderers who profit by such a condition of affairs. The jails and charity institutions are nightly filled with homeless men, who have fallen victims to the deceit of the profit mongers, who are without conscience or feeling, as they reach out their filthy hands to grasp the pennies of the poor.

There is not enough work in California at the present time to engage 50 per cent of the labor now here, yet the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco is circulating hundreds of thousands of post-card falsehoods

Facts for Weak Women

Nine-tenths of all the sickness of women is due to some derangement or disease of the organs distinctly feminine. Such sickness can be cured—is cured every day by

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription It Makes Weak Women Strong, Sick Women Well.

It acts directly on the organs affected and is at the same time a general restorative tonic for the whole system. It cures female complaint right in the privacy of home. It makes unnecessary the disagreeable questioning, examinations and local treatment so universally insisted upon by doctors, and so abhorrent to every modest woman.

We shall not particularize here as to the symptoms of those peculiar affections incident to women, but those wanting full information as to their symptoms and means of positive cure are referred to the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser—1008 pages, newly revised and up-to-date Edition, sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only; or, in cloth binding for 31 stamps.

Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.



throughout the world, in an effort to induce other workers to come to a land of idleness, hunger and misery.

This warning is sent out in hope that those who see it may spread the truth far and wide, and thus balk the minions of greed on this coast in their efforts to profit by the misery of those unfortunate enough to be searching for employment.

Gold is the only God these greedy mortals know, and so long as there is a chance to grasp a dime, they crave it, and would take it out of the palsied hand of advanced age or from the helpless fingers of puny infancy, without a pang of conscience, or the slightest regret. Such is the character of the men responsible for the false pictures of California conditions now being spread throughout the world.

There is no demand for labor here—nothing but idleness on every hand. Our streets are lined with idle men in search of employment, many of them without means to sustain themselves, and compelled to depend upon the charity of strangers.

Stay away from California until such time as you receive information from trustworthy sources that there is work for you here.

Fraternally,

(Signed) PAUL SCHARRENBERG, secretary, California State Federation of Labor.

(Signed) JOHN I. NOLAN, secretary, League for the Protection of the Unemployed.

Notice: The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the City and

County of San Francisco, on March 4, 1912:

Whereas, There are at present in San Francisco a large number of unemployed men and women, many of whom have been lured hither by false and misleading reports and advertisements published throughout the country, representing that there exists a demand for labor in connection with the exposition; and

Whereas, This condition operates injuriously to the interests of our citizens, and will, unless corrected, prove a serious detriment to the city; therefore be it

Resolved, That in the judgment of this board the labor forces now available at a moment's notice are more than sufficient to meet any possible demand now or for a considerable time to come, and we would therefore warn all persons seeking employment against coming to San Francisco, since by so doing they are likely to be disappointed in their own hopes and certain to increase the evils of unemployment among the people already here.

To Mothers—And Others

You can use Bucklen's Arnica Save to cure children of eczema, rashes, tetter, chafings, scaly and crusty humors, as well as their accidental injuries—cuts, burns, bruises, etc., with perfect safety. Nothing else heals so quickly. For boils, ulcers, old, running or fever sores or piles it has no equal. 25 cts at O. T. Erhart.

Small men feel big when standing on their dignity.

The Best Way? Go To Your Doctor

No sense in running from one doctor to another! Select the best one, then stand by him. No sense in trying this thing, that thing, for your cough. Carefully, deliberately select the best cough medicine, then take it. Stick to it. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for throat and lung troubles.

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We sell the
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Notary PublicBOW "FIGGERS"
BEFUDDLE HIMReally, we tire of exposing the ver-
satility of Statistician White when it
comes to "figgers," but in an admir-
ing survey of his latest Philippic we
scanned a posy that was never "born
to bluish unness."Mr. White took the county assess-
ment of livestock in 1900, and that
in 1911, albeit he understated the
1900 assessment about 20 per cent,
much to the advantage of his argu-
ment. Then he indulged in computa-
tions to show that he was right when
he said the increase in taxation in
ten years was 400 per cent. But Mr.
White, in computing the tax, used a
rate of 19 mills in 1900, and 21 mills
in 1911, by what authority is unex-
plained. But listen! The average
tax rate of the TOWNS in the
COUNTY, which of course he should
have used, was 23 mills in 1900 and
13 mills in 1911. You see, the in-
crease in the assessment from 1900
to 1911 is so nearly offset by the de-
crease in the tax rate that the natu-
ral increase in value being taken
into consideration, things break
about even. But, for the sake of the
argument, let us admit that hogs and
horses and such were worth no more
in 1911 than they were in 1900 (ev-
erybody knows they were). Rightly
computed, the increase in taxation
on livestock (including mules) was
approximately 50 per cent.Now, to make things doubly clear,
let's tabulate what Mr. White said
and the real facts:

	1900	1911	1900	1911
Horses	22,438	23,461	10.42	12.81
Cattle	10,432	12,817	10.42	12.81
Mules	2,432	2,817	10.42	12.81
Sheep	1,432	1,817	10.42	12.81
Pigs	2,432	2,817	10.42	12.81
Swine	2,432	2,817	10.42	12.81
Other	2,432	2,817	10.42	12.81
Total	40,000	42,000	10.42	12.81

NOTE—Between 1900 and 1904
the basis of taxation was raised
from two-thirds to full value of the
property taxed, and the third column
in the above table is inserted to in-
dicate the influence of that fact upon
the increase in the assessments be-
tween 1900 and 1911.It will be seen that in dealing with
livestock taxes Mr. White gave the
wrong figures for the 1900 assess-
ment, the wrong figures for the 1900
tax rate, the wrong figures for the
1911 tax rate. The only figures he
gave correctly were the 1911 assess-
ments, and his deductions were as
far from the truth as 400 per cent
is from 50 per cent.Even this is giving to Mr. White
an advantage which he seized, but
to which he is not entitled. Note, in
the table, that by far the greatest
proportion of increase in valuation is
in mules. There are thousands of
horses, cattle, sheep and swine in La
Crosse county, BUT THERE AREONLY FIFTY-ONE (51) MULES IN
LA CROSSE COUNTY. Really, the
mules should not have been figured
in at all, for they form an infinites-
imal part of the taxable livestock of
the county. Leaving the mules out
of it, the livestock taxes in La Crosse
county have advanced but approxi-
mately 30 per cent since 1900.Give it up, Cash. Make up your
mind to "touch wood" whenever you
feel that mania for statistics coming
on. "Figgers" are fatal to your draw
stroke and demoralizing to your dis-
position, and all of us hate to see
decimals and decillions dissipating
the time of one who can achieve un-
bounded popularity by sticking to his
vocational vacation.USING MR. BRYAN'S
NAME IN VAINWe call attention to the following
letter from John A. Aylward, of
Madison, representing the executive
committee of the Woodrow Wilson
league:"You may have noticed in the She-
boygan Press, under date of March
21, there appeared under glaring
headlines, an article to the effect
that 'BRYAN COMES OUT FOR
CLARK,' and in this article it is
stated that the Sheboygan Press has
effectuated a 'scoop' on all the news-
papers in the country in procuring
this information and giving it to the
public; that Mr. Bryan would on the
following day, which would be the
22nd of March, come out with a
statement to the public that he was
for Clark; and that Charles H.
Weisse was the authority for this
statement.""The Sheboygan Press is owned
and controlled by Charles H. Weiss-
e, who is managing Clark's campaign in
this state as you know. The trouble
with the above is that it is AB-
SOLUTELY UNTRUE."The entire article in the Shebo-
ygan Press was telegraphed to Mr.
Bryan by the undersigned, with the
request that he state whether it was
true or not; and the undersigned re-
ceived a telegram from Mr. Bryan,
signed by him, as follows: 'UNTRUE.
LETTER FOLLOWS. W. J. BRYAN.'
The attention of The Tribune has,
since the receipt of the above letter,
been called to a copy of Mr. Bryan's
telegram in which he states positively
that the assertion of the Shebo-
ygan paper is untrue. In view of the
wide influence of Mr. Bryan, the
use of his name in support of a can-
didate for whom he had not declared
was reprehensible, and if any of our
readers have been misled by the
trick we hope this will put them
right. Mr. Bryan has not declared
himself for any candidate, but he
is daily preaching the things Dr. Wil-
son stands for and condemning
things the other democratic aspir-
ants stand for. Of all the candidates
in the field, Dr. Wilson is the only
one Mr. Bryan can support without
stultifying himself, and Mr. Bryan
has not been known to yield to in-
consistencies.Answered Them All
Glancing hastily down the pages
of Tommy Jones' examination papers,
the teacher's heart thrilled over
Tommy's unexpected good showing,
for not one of the questions remained
unanswered. But upon subjecting the
papers to a more careful perusal her
pride in Tommy's proficiency had a
fall. After seven of the ten questions
Tommy had written politely:
"I am sorry this is a subject on
which I have no information."
—Washington Star.Such Beautiful Words
Dorothy was only five years old,
but she had already begun to make
plans for the future. She unfolded
one of them to her mother one day.
"When I grow up I'm going to
have two children," she said. "I'm
going to name the first one Anemia
and the second one Malaria."—Har-
per's Bazar.Educational Note
Mrs. Struckit Rich—Our waiter is
a student. He is working his way
through college.
Mr. Struckit Rich—You don't tell
me! Well, if the colleges would only
turn out a few more good waiters I'd
have more respect for their seats of
learning.—Puck.In the Suburbs
Naybor—I say, Subbubs, have you
a foot rule over there?
Subbubs—Yes; one my wife made.
It is "Use the door mat before en-
tering."
Naybor—Oh, that won't do. That's
a two foot rule.—Boston Transcript.His Awful Fear
Little Robert and his seven year
old sweetheart were in bathing for
the first time together.
"Why, Lillie," he said, regarding
her with a critical eye, "your legs
are so thin I'm afraid you have pneu-
monia."—Harper's Bazar.Biding His Time
Aunt Anna asked her little nephew
what he would like to give his cous-
in for his birthday.
"I know," he answered, "but I
ain't big enough."—Christian Advoca-
te.Nineteen Miles a Second
without a jar, shock or disturbance,
is the awful speed of our earth
through space. We wonder at such
ease of nature's movement, and so
do those who take Dr. King's New
Life Pills. No gripping, no distress,
just thorough work that brings good
health and fine feelings, 25c at O. T.
Erhart.Some people go to court for their
rights and pay altogether too much
for them.Quips and Cranks
and Wanton WilesTired
I am grown old, and this is how I
knew.
Not by the stiffening joints or hair
of snow.
(These have been gifts that time
has long bestowed.)
But by my yearning for a snug
abode,
A clean white cottage where the roses
grow.Once when the road-call came I leaped
to go.
But now I linger by the hearth
aglow.
The weight of years is my too-
heavy load—
I am grown old.There is no summons in the winds
that blow.
There is no challenge in the seas that
flow.
There is no magic in the rovers'
code.I am weary of the open road.
Bitter it is to learn, but it is so,
I am grown old.
—Berton Braley in Woman's World
for April.A Governor's Limitations
"The queerest talk I ever had over
the telephone," confided Myron T.
Herrick just before he left us, "was
down in Columbus, when I had the
honor of being governor of this state.""I was about to retire for the
night when a local reporter rang me
up. You must know that I had been
reported dead that evening. I was in
the best of health, as a matter of
fact, but it was said that I had gone
the way of all flesh. On this last call
I answered the phone myself.
"Mr. Herrick's residence?"
"Yes, sir."
"Is he dead?"
"No."
"Do you think he will die to-
night?"
"I do not.""Well, if he does, will you an-
swer the phone and tell me?"
"It won't be possible in that
case."
"It won't, eh? Well, get some-
body on the line that can help me—
you are useless!"
"I acknowledged my limitations,"
continued our new ambassador, "and
sent the cook to see if she could do
better."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.A la Sherlock Holmes
"Flubdub has just been calling on
his best girl." "How do you know?"
"He has taken three cigars from his
waistcoat pocket and every one of
them was broken."—Judge.A Child's Clever Answer
An 8-year-old pupil in the Eigh-
teenth district school showed a men-
tality quite beyond her years in her
drawing class not long ago.
The teacher read the children the
fable of the hare and the tortoise and
then asked them to illustrate it.Little Susan did her picture quick-
ly and easily and was the first to
hand one to the teacher. The teacher
was surprised to find nothing on the
paper but a long winding path and a
solitary tree."Haven't you forgotten to finish
your picture?" she asked of Susan.
"No," said the youthful artist. "The
hare has just gone by and the tortoise
hasn't come along yet."—Free
Press.Not Play
Mamma—There, you have a black
eye and a bloody nose and your coat
is torn to bits. How many times
have I told you not to play with that
bad Brown boy?
Bobbie—Gee, ma! Do I look like
we'd been playing?—Memphis News-
Scimitar.How He Got It
"How did you get that fine spring
overcoat?" "I had a sure tip on a
horse race." "I never knew one of
those sure tips to pan out." "Nei-
ther did I, so I didn't play it. Put the
money into overcoat instead."—
Washington Herald.In the Parlor
Miss Weereigh—"Hark! Isn't that
the church clock striking twelve?"
Staylate—"Yes, but that's nothing to
go by."—Boston Transcript.That Spring Fever
YEP! HE IS
SPROUTING!
TNews Item—
No surer sign of the arrival
of Spring is evidenced than
the awakening of the base-
ball fan. Another sort of
Spring fan very much in evi-
dence just now is the Spring
clothes fan. The most en-
thusiastic of this species you
will find now every day at
our shop.CONTINENTAL
HENRY N. BOEHM, MANAGERTHE
CARPET
FROM
BAGDADA New Novel
By Harold
McGrath

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"A bottle or two will not hurt
any of us. We'll ask Ackermann.
For God knows where we'd have
been today but for him. And let him
do all the yarning. It will please
him.""And while he gabs, we'll get the
best of the steak and the wine!"
For the first time in days Ryanne's
laughter had a bit of the erstwhile
rollicking tone.The dinner was an event. No deli-
cacy (mostly canned) was over-
looked. The manager, as he heard
the guinea jingle in George's pocket,
was filled with shame; not over his
original doubts, but relative to
his lack of perception. The tourists
who sat at the other tables were
scandalized at the popping of cham-
pagne-corks. Sanctimonious faces
glared reproof. A jovial spirit in
the Holy Land was an anachronism,
not to be tolerated. And whine!
Horrible! Doubtless, when they re-
turned to their native back porches,
they retold with never-ending hor-
ror of having witnessed such a
scene and having heard such laugh-
ter upon sacred soil.Even Fortune laughed, though
Ryanne's ear, keenest then, detected
the vague note of hysteria. If
the meat was tough, the potatoes
greasy, the vegetables flavorless,
the wine flat, none of them appeared
to be aware of it. If Ackermann
could talk he could also eat; and
the clatter of forks and knives
was the theme rather than the vari-
ation to the symphony.George felt himself drawn deeper
and deeper into those magic wa-
ters from which, as in death, there
is no return. She was so lonely, so
sad, and forlorn, that there was as
much brother as lover in his sym-
pathy. How patient she had been
during all those inconceivable hard-
ships! How brave and steady; and
never a murmur! The single glass
of wine had brought the color back
to her cheek and the sparkle into
her eye; yet he was sure that be-
hind this apparent liveliness lay a
pitiful desperation of the helpless.He had not spoken again about old
Mortimer. He would wait till after
he sent a long cable. Then he would
speak and show her the answer, of
which he had not a particle of
doubt. As matters now stood, he
could not tell her that he loved
her; his quixotic sense of chivalry
was too strong to permit this step,
urge as his heart might upon it.
She might misinterpret his love as a
born of pity, and that would be the
end of everything. He was confi-
dent now that Ryanne meant noth-
ing to her. Her lack of enthu-
siasm, whenever Ryanne spoke to
her in these days; the peculiar
horizontal of her lips and brows,
whenever Ryanne offered a trifling
courtesy—all pointed to distrust.
George felt a guilty gladness. After
all, why shouldn't she distrust
Ryanne?George concluded that he must
acquire patience. She was far too
loyal to run away without first giv-
ing him warning. In the event of
her refusing Mortimer's roof and
protection, he knew what his plans
would be. Some one else could do
the buying for Mortimer & Jones;
his business would be to revolve
round this lonely girl, to watch and
guard her without her being aware
of it. Of what use were riches if
he could not put them to whatever
use he chose? So he would wait
near her, to see that she came and
went unmolested, till against that
time when she would recognize how
futile her efforts were and how
wide and high the wall of the world
was.That mother of hers! To his
mind it was positively unreal that
one so charming and lovely should
be at heart strong as the wind and
merciless as the sea. His mother
had been everything; hers, worse
than none, an eternal question.
What a drama she had moved about
in, without understanding!George did not possess that easy
and adjustable sophistry which
made Ryanne look upon smuggling
as a clever game between two
cheats. His point of view coincided
with Fortune's; it was thievish,
more or less condoned, but the
ethics covering it were soundly es-
tablished. He had come very near
being culpable himself. True, he
would not have been guilty of
smuggling for profit; but none the
less he would have tried to cheat
the government. His sin had found
him out; he had now neither the
rug nor his thousand pounds.All these cogitations passed
through his mind, disjointedly, as
the dinner progressed toward its
end. They bade Ackermann good-
by, and God-speed, as he was to
leave early for Beirut, upon his way
to Smyrna. Fortune went to bed;
Ryanne sought the billiard-room
and knocked about the balls; while
George asked the manager if he
could send a cable from the hotel.
Certainly he could. It took some
time to compose the cable to Morti-
mer; and it required some gold be-
sides. Mortimer must have a fair
view of the case; and George pre-
sented it, requesting a reply to be
sent to Cook's in Naples, where they
expected to be within ten days."How much will this be?"
The porter got out his telegraph
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Walter S. Houser.	Patrick H. Martin.
District—	District—
Oscar Schoengarth.	W. N. Wells.
James A. Stone.	Evan A. Evans.

Charles Gilbert Nichols, Jr., would
not take a date and were married.Sewed Around Towel
NEW YORK.—A towel, a yard
long and a foot wide, with a red bor-
der, was found sewed up inside Mrs.
Mollie Meyers after a surgical op-
eration, according to her physician's
affidavit.Manslaughter Fine 1 Cent
MONTGOMERY, Ala. — Found
guilty of manslaughter in the second
degree, Robert Glass was fined one
cent."Bomb Proof" Wrecked
NEW YORK.—The "bomb proof"
room in the laboratory of the college
of the city of New York, is a wreck
as the result of an explosion.A good night's sleep is the best
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reliable doctor and is certain. This was
first published here six years ago and
local druggists say it has been in con-
stant demand ever since."Museum of Daily
Facts and FreaksVeteran Confidence Man
CHICAGO, March 30.—"Judge" F.
J. Parker, 89, and totally blind, the
oldest confidence man alive, is under
arrest for defrauding people for
whom he advertised to act as com-
panion on a trip to California.Fireman Robbed Dead
CHICAGO.—Ralph Raymond, lo-
comotive fireman, has been arrested
for robbing the body of a man killed
by his engine.Mocked Religion
LONDON.—In suing Dr. John
Hoole for divorce, Mrs. Mabel Hoole
alleged that her husband had
taught their children to mock at
Christianity by having them crucify
the dolls.Pulling Teeth Restores Sight
SANDUSKY, Ohio.—Totally blind
for five years, Edward Kennedy, 30,
a farmer, had two teeth extracted.
Today he read a newspaper.Four Ride in Aeroplane
MINEOLA, L. I.—George W. Beat-
ty in a biplane broke all American
records when he took four pas-
sengers aloft for ten minutes.Hide Nudes
WASHINGTON.—To save delicate
nerved visitors from shock local ar-
tists have almost hidden paintings of
the nude in dark corners of their ex-
hibit at the Corcoran Art gallery.Married on Dare
NEW YORK.—Miss Mary Beatrice
Miller, daughter of the late Peter
Miller, tobacco millionaire, and

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Learning the gambler's art as a boy, he practiced it on his younger brother and sister. This aroused his father to a righteous indignation, the culmination of which was the driving of the boy out into the world. He started his career in a Western town, using his art with such adeptness as to make his reputation, as a card shark and Montoman, notorious throughout that section. Ten years later, he bloomed forth as the keeper of one of the most widely known gambling dens in the country. In this hell of infamy every device of the damnable profession was used.

The paraphernalia in evidence in this haunt of vice exerted its fascination on the youth and the adult alike, drawing them, with devilish certitude, to the consuming flame of their

own destruction! Into this mad vortex of the human passions came a youth. He was clever, and luck was with him; then the Kid marked him as a victim, to be fleeced and shorn, to be plucked and scorched. We behold the hellish apparatus secretly prepared, and we see the fiendish operations carried out to their horrible conclusion. Black despair overtakes the miserable youth, and self-destruction is the penalty he pays for his folly.

Clutched in the hand of the lifeless victim was a photograph. Canfield, bold and callous, loosened the fingers of the dead youth; but his eyes falling on the picture bulged with horror. The face was that of his mother! The boy, cold and stiff, whose young life was blasted out so cruelly, was his own brother! Recovering from the terrible realization that he was, indeed, a fratricide, the notorious Canfield registered a solemn oath before high heaven to forsake his evil ways and devote his entire life to the reclamation, in some degree, of the youth of the land he had corrupted.

Thus comes the grand final to this o'er true tale. Here we behold, in the second reel, the exposition and correct manner of manipulation of the various devices used by the gambling profession. This is a most fascinating part of the subject, morally, educational and instructive, in the sense of telling us and warning us of the pitfalls and slimy traps of the gilded dens of vice which abound around us.

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NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

When blue, go to the Dome.
Olaf Jensen leaves today for an extended trip in the west.
Gustav Knutson from West Salem is visiting friends on the north side a few days.
Look for Graw's photo coupon, worth 50c to you.
Mr. Kennedy of Minneapolis, formerly of this city, is visiting relatives in the city.
Ford Saltz has moved to the city and will reside here in the future.
George Nutting, 911 Gillette street, for the past few days, have returned to their home in Midway.

Mr. Earl McGaughey of Minneapolis, Minn., is the guest of relatives and friends here for a few days.
Mrs. Field of Centerville, Wis., is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Martin Olson, 1537 Berlin street.
J. G. Dubraks went to Janesville, Wis., on business yesterday.
Clarence Miller of 1432 Charles street, left today for Sparta for a visit with relatives and friends.
Miss Hickok of 1341 Caledonia street, left today for Bloomington for a week's visit with friends and relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Merwin and children, Vira and James, of 814 Gillette St., left today for Trempealeau, Wis., for a visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Beulah Senstead is confined to her home here with illness.
Ole Halverson of Bangor is a business caller in the city today.
F. E. Baldman, Caledonia, Minn., is calling on friends in La Crosse today.
Jas. Smith, plumbing and heating, 912 Caledonia St., New Phone, 618-M.
August Johnson, who has been in Forreston, Minn., returned to the city yesterday.
Earl McGaughey from Minneapolis, Minn., is visiting in the city for a few days.
David Moses is visiting friends in Blair, Wis., today.
Mr. and Mrs. Berger, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Con Conley, who has been in Lemon, N. D., on a claim, has returned to her home, 1523 Kane street.

Mr. McMann of Rockford, Ill., arrived here this morning on a business trip.
Henry Olson of Lanesboro, Minn., is visiting friends on the north side.
Mrs. Oscar Bowman of Minneapolis, is the guest of her parents at 402 Berlin street.
Mathias Milbauer, after visiting friends here yesterday, returned to his home at La Valle.
Miss Ida Miller of Moline is visiting relatives in La Crosse for a couple of weeks.
Mrs. P. Pilger, who has been visiting her brother, Carl Gorder, who has been operated on in one of the local hospitals in Chicago, has returned to her home at 1823 Wood street.

William Brady and Elmer and Ingrid Larsen left yesterday for a visit with friends in Marmouth, N. D.
Miss Jessie Fairbanks of St. Louis visited a short time with friends here yesterday after which she went to St. Paul to visit her mother.

STRIKERS MAY RETURN

LOWELL, Mass., March 30.—That the 16,000 striking textile operatives will return to work Monday is the belief here following the announcement that agents of the big cotton mills will hold a conference today to consider the demands of the strikers.

F. R. A. ATTEND SHOW

F. R. A. night at the Majestic last evening, was a great success and from the fact that the entire lower floor was sold out assures the promoters of the series, that the members and their friends will look forward, with eager anticipation for the next one and that the F. R. A. nights at the Majestic will become quite popular. The artistic decorations added much to the evening's enjoyment and the committees in charge of the affair feel encouraged, by the success of the first venture.

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Dr. J. E. Canaday, 428 Park Square, Sedalia, Mo.
Could you do a better act than to send this notice to some poor sufferer of Eczema?

MOTOR FOR ROWBOAT BEING DISPLAYED

A small and convenient engine which is especially made to furnish power for canoes and rowboats is being exhibited by Dr. E. A. Gatterdam in the Law Automobile Garage this week. The motor is made by the Evinrude Motor company of Milwaukee, and it has one and a half horse power. Although the motor is a small one it is capable of developing enough power to drive a rowboat at a good rate of speed and it can easily be attached and detached from the boat on which it is placed.

FLOOD BREAKS LEVEE

CAIRO, Ill., March 30.—The Texas Bend, Mississippi river levee, at Brown's Landing, Missouri, about ten miles above Bird's Point, broke yesterday afternoon, and the entire country below there is being covered with water.

Would Hardly Go Around.

Willie—"Wonder what all the animals did during those forty days in the ark." Tommy—"Oh, they just lay around and scratched themselves, I guess." Willie—"Scratched themselves when there was only two fleas?" —Boston Transcript.

KEEPING THE RIOTERS QUIET



Troops patrolling the streets of Rock Island, following the riots in which two men were killed and many injured. The riots were caused by feeling aroused against Mayor Schriver by political agitators supporting the scandalous publications of Charles Looney, a predatory publisher.

North Side

PREMIUMS CINCH THE FIFTH PLACE

Take Three Straight Games From Barred Rocks in Post-Season Series

As a result of their three straight victories over the Barred Rocks in the post-season series at the Combination bowling alleys last evening, the Premiums won the undisputed right to fifth place in the Commercial bowling league. These games were necessary because of the fact that at the end of the league season the Premiums and the Barred Rocks were tied for fifth place. The Barred Rocks are in sixth place. Wiskirchen of the Barred Rocks had high score for the evening with a record of 193, Yehle of the Premiums being a close second with 191. Scores:

Barred Rocks—			
Wiskirchen	154	193	179
Thoreson	157	178	176
Niemeyer	172	142	148
Substitute	139	155	153
Substitute	132	141	131
Totals	754	809	787

Bart's Premiums—
E. Yehle 143 191 160
Howard 177 155 197
Swanson 139 179 153
Flukiger 175 785 177
Dockendorf 132 141 131
Totals 786 851 818

The game between the Painters and the M. & G. team of Winona will be played at the Combination bowling alleys tomorrow afternoon. As the teams appear to be evenly matched there is every indication that the match will be an interesting one.

SALVATION ARMY WORKERS HERE

Two officers of the "Salvation Army," Ensign and Mrs. Palmkrona, have arrived in the city from St. Paul, Minn., and are now residing at 1310 Berlin street. Their work in the army consists of gathering contributions for sustenance of same and hold religious meeting wherever opportunity presents itself. Ensign Palmkrona, born in Sweden, has a record of 23 years of service as an officer in the Salvation Army. Mrs. Palmkrona was saved in Trondheim, Norway, her native and, twenty-five years ago. Two and one-half years afterwards the Salvation Army raised their standard in large building formerly occupied by a circus. At this place Mrs. Palmkrona started her career as a Salvation Army officer and has been instrumental in saving many souls during her public ministry. The first half of Ensign and Mrs. Palmkrona's life of service was spent in their native lands but for the last twelve years they have labored faithfully in the American-Scandinavian branch of the work.

Their field of work extends through Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Illinois, and while they remain in La Crosse Ensign and Mrs. Palmkrona feel sure that friends of the work will co-operate with them.

The Norwegian M. E. church, corner of Berlin and Sill streets has invited them to hold a meeting the coming Sunday at 10:30 a. m., to which meeting all Scandinavians are especially invited.

LADIES' AID ELECTS

The Ladies' Aid society of the German M. E. church elected yesterday officers at a meeting yesterday: President, Mrs. C. F. Figgie. Vice President, Mrs. Witter. Secretary, Mrs. R. Hauser. Treasurer, Mrs. P. Schlachach.

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CHANGE OF PROGRAM SUNDAY



Norwegian M. E.
Norwegian M. E. church, corner of Berlin and Sill streets. I. T. Slaatte, pastor. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. Preaching service at 10:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All cordially invited.

German M. E.
German M. E. church, corner of Clinton and Berlin street, Rev. W. J. Witter, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching service at 10:30 by the district superintendent, Rev. B. C. Brandenberg. Sacrament of the Lord's supper after the sermon.

Caledonia St. Methodist Episcopal
Caledonia St. M. E. church, Rev. A. V. Ingham, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30. The Holy Communion will be administered at this service, preceded by communion address by the pastor. Anthem, "Were is a Fountain." Evening worship, 7:30, subject of sermon, "A doomed city." Sabbath school at noon. Epworth League devotional meeting, 6:30, leader, Charles Shaw. Special Lenten services will be held Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday night, commencing at 7:30. Official board meeting, Monday evening, 7:30.

Trinity Lutheran
Trinity United Lutheran church on Avon street, Rev. L. S. Marvick, pastor. No services in church Sunday. Lenten services to be held Monday and Tuesday evening next week. Also services on Good Friday in the evening with communion.

Tabernacle Baptist Church
Tabernacle Baptist church, corner Avon and Clinton street, Rev. R. C. Cody, pastor. Morning worship at 10:45. Theme, "The Value of Ideals." Sabbath school at noon. B. Y. P. U. at 6:45. Mrs. Charles Blanchard, leader. Evening service, theme, "Foundations of Sand," at 7:30.

Norwegian Bethel Lutheran
Norwegian Bethel Lutheran church, corner of George and Sill streets, Rev. O. L. Christenson, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m.; evening at 7:45; Sunday school at 9 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Scandinavian Baptist
The Scandinavian Baptist church, corner of Charles and Logan streets. Morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 12 m.; E. A. Forss Supt.

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Norwegian Lutheran

Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Charles and Sill streets. Rev. E. O. Vik, pastor. Morning services, 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

North Presbyterian

North Presbyterian church, corner Avon and Logan streets, Rev. Finch A. Clarke, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30, sermon by the pastor. Theme, The Christian's Supreme Prayer. Evening service at 7:45, theme, A man's motive power. An excellent young people's choir will sing at both services. All who do not attend any other church are invited to make this their church home. Sunday school at 12 m. Young People's meeting, 7 p. m., sharp. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at the pastor's home, 1552 Avon street. The regular meeting of the Men's league will be held in the church parlors Monday evening.

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touring the southern and western
counties of the state this week for
the purpose of encouraging the pro-
duction of "More and Better Live-
stock in Wisconsin," has been met by
large audiences of interested farm-
ers at every station, between 2,500
and 3,000 having visited the exhibi-
tion cars the first four days of the
trip. Stockmen have come miles to
inspect the exhibits of livestock,
charts, dairy utensils, model barns,
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fined.
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Personals

When in doubt, go to the Bijou.
Miss Hildegarde Gilmeister left
today for Milwaukee, where she will
sing in the Schubert Theater.
Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women
Mrs. J. P. Kujawa left today for
Milwaukee, accompanied by her sister,
Miss Hildegarde Gilmeister. They
will return Tuesday.Taxicab for hire. Both phones 123.
The family of F. H. Burgess, 137
South Eleventh street, which has
been under quarantine for several
weeks, was released yesterday by
the city health officer.The F. R. A. entertainment which
was planned for April 4th has been
postponed until after Lent.A. B. Millard will leave next week
for Chicago, where he has accepted a
position.Every act a comedy hit at the
Majestic.J. G. Dubraks left today for Janes-
ville, Wis., on a few days' business
trip.Ninety minutes of laughter at
the Majestic this last half week.Mrs. D. S. Greig, 610 King street
who with her son and daughter have
been quarantined at her home by
scarlet fever, were released today.B. A. V. public card party, Mon-
day, 2:30, Clinch and "500."Miss Bessie Geisenheimer enter-
tained her friend, Miss Elizabeth
Powell from Savanna, Ill., yesterday.Mrs. George W. Young has return-
ed from Chicago where she visited
relatives for a few weeks.Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting phy-
sician and surgeon.Bob Fredericks, Lansing, Iowa, is
visiting friends in La Crosse today.Walter Carr of Minneapolis re-
turned to his home this morning, fol-
lowing his work at the wrestling
show last night.The Gray Millinery announces a
special sale until Easter on all
trimmed hats. Prices from 75c to
\$35.00.Miss Bertha Kirschner, a teacher
in the public schools of Red Wing, is
home for the Easter vacation.William Sutter who has been vis-
iting friends at Coon Valley has re-
turned to his home in this city.P. F. Moha, this city, is transac-
ting business in Milwaukee.For today, tomorrow and Satur-
day only, five comedy acts at the
Majestic.Miss Nettie Sabelwitz will leave
for Milwaukee within a few days,
where she will spend her spring vaca-
tion visiting friends.Professor L. P. Benzel, La Crosse,
is attending the school superinten-
dents' conference now being held in
Milwaukee.Like good comedy? Then attend
the Majestic.Grant L. Ladd who has been the
guest of friends while transacting
business in this city during the last
few days has returned to his home at
Elkader.E. W. Grunber, La Crosse, has re-
turned from Milwaukee where he has
been transacting business during the
last few days.Hack calls day and night. Gateway
City Transfer Line. Phone 179.J. J. Dunlevy has departed for his
home at Lansing, Iowa, after spend-
ing a few days transacting business
in this city.D. C. Paer left for Milwaukee yester-
day to spend a few days visiting
friends and transacting business.Mrs. A. C. Colman who has been
visiting friends in this city has re-
turned to her home at West Salem.Ed Newhouse, a resident of Spring
Grove, Minn., visited friends in La
Crosse yesterday.The Ladies' Circle of the Univer-
salist church will hold a Easter ba-
zaar and supper at the church base-
ment next Thursday afternoon and
evening.B. E. Lilly, Houston, Minn., is a
La Crosse visitor today.Robert Hayden came to the city
from De Soto yesterday to remain
here for a few days.John G. Graham of Tomah is a
business caller in the city today.R. V. Williams from Rushford,
Minn., is calling on friends in La
Crosse today.J. J. Dunlevy, Lansing, Ia., is
transacting business in the city for a
few days.P. H. Meyer of Dubuque is in the
city on business today.State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas
County—ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that
he is senior partner of the firm of F.
J. Cheney & Co., doing business in
the city of Toledo, County and State
aforesaid, and that said firm will
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DOLLARS for each and every case of
Catarrh that cannot be cured by the
use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.FRANK J. CHENEY.
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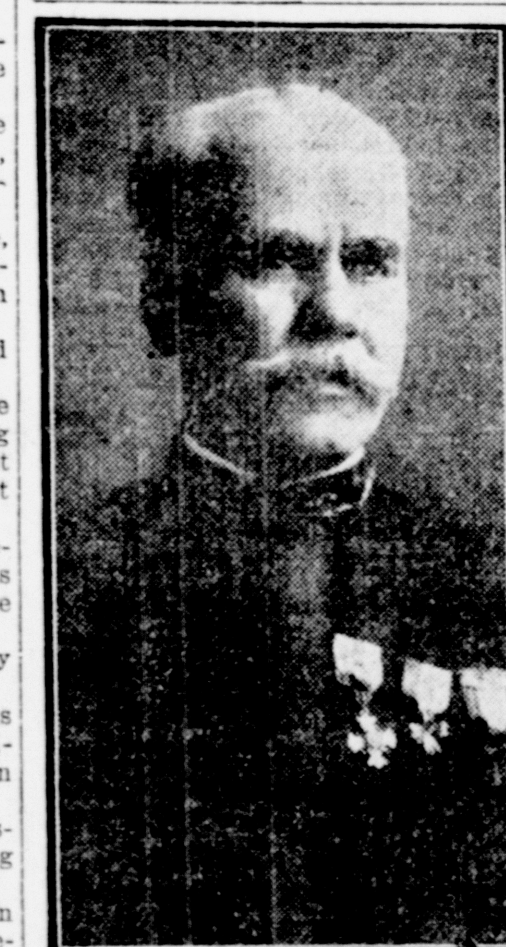
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describe my misery, on these occa-
sions."Womanly trouble was the cause of
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ment will do anything to help some
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feeling that by so doing they will
help other suffering women to get
well by following their experience. To
you, among others, this message is
sent.For there are days when you, too,
need a strengthening medicine, a
tonic.Nobody knows when those days
come, so well as you.When they do come, don't go
around hopelessly with a feeling as
if everything were wrong, but do as
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Colonel Channon of Rock Island is
the commander of the Sixth regiment,
Illinois National Guard, on riot duty
in Rock Island.GYM EXHIBITION
AT THE Y. W. C. A.Association Girls Give Sec-
ond of Series of "Open
Nights" at the "Y"
Gym Last NightAn exhibition of gym work, under
the direction of Miss Clement, phy-
sical director, was given by the gym-
nasium classes at the Y. W. C. A.
last night, a fair-sized audience be-
ing in attendance, and much im-
provement was shown over the work
on the occasion of the last exhibition
which was given in February.The program for the evening con-
sisted of the regular class work,
marching, wand and dumb bell drills,
folk dances, and various other ex-
ercises. The work of the beginners'
class was especially good, this class
having been formed but a few weeks
ago and this being their first appear-
ance in public.A close and interesting game of
basketball between two picked teams
was the closing event of the program
resulting in a score of 15 to 13.The fellow who can't look you in
the eye will lie to you over the tele-
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was, bring it here and let us put
it into shape.If you haven't a WATCH, let
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Society

20TH CENTURY CLUB

The Twentieth Century club held
its regular meeting Tuesday at the
home of Mrs. W. H. Sanders. The
hostesses were Mrs. Abram James
and Mrs. Sanders. The lesson was in
the hands of Mrs. C. W. Lewis. The
topic was "The Modern English
Drama." The ladies taking part in
the lesson were Mesdames Soderberg,
Schweizer and Stevens. Mrs. P. L.
Cilley favored the club with two solos
well rendered. Mrs. Frank Winter
gave current events.The Twentieth Century club will
meet with Mrs. Leonard Kleeber
Tuesday, April 2, for their annual
election of officers. The ladies enter-
taining will be Mrs. J. L. Eddy and
Mrs. Kleeber, assisted by Mrs. E. E.
Dow. Mrs. D. O. Coate will tell of the
work of the Drama league.

REBEKAHS GIVE DANCE

A very enjoyable dancing party
was given by the ladies of Myron P.
Lindley Rebekah lodge, No. 104, at
Odd Fellows hall last evening. The
music was furnished by the Bahner-
Kreutz orchestra. About fifty couples
attended the dance which continued
until midnight.

BIRTHDAY SUPPER AT Y

There will be a supper given this
evening at the Y. W. C. A. in honor
of those who had birthdays during
February and March.

ANNOUNCEMENT

There will be a public meeting at
the First Congregational church on
Thursday evening, April 4, under the
auspices of the La Crosse Medical
and the graduate nurses' societies.
H. W. Hill, M. D., of Minneapolis,
will deliver an address upon "Public
Health." This is a subject in which
all should be interested. Dr. Charles
Marquet will preside at the meeting.
Dr. Hill's talk will be followed by
one from Rev. Henry Faville, pastor
of the Congregational church. Mr.
Abner Gran, secretary of the Y. M.
C. A. and Dr. J. W. Furstman, health
commissioner.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Alfred Grams is entertaining
several of her school friends at a
house party at her home on South
Seventeenth street. They are the
Misses Hazel Rhems of Caledonia,
Minn., and Ruby Raihel and Leona
Dodge of Minneapolis.The quarantine has been removed
from the house of Mr. R. C. Wheel-
pley, Mrs. Wheelpley having recover-
ed from a six weeks' siege of diph-
theria and scarlet fever.Among the students attending the
state university at Madison who will
return home next week are Miss
Helen Harrison, the Misses Scott, Id.,
who will be accompanied by a friend,
Messrs. Harold Davis, Walter Shir-
ley, Carl Schweizer, Ben Brindley,
Claude Maurer and Stanley Harrison.
Miss Kate Lee of Lincoln, Neb.,
is visiting Miss Amanda Clement at
the Y. W. C. A.Miss Laura Cunningham and Miss
Anne Colman, who are students at
Smith college at Northampton, are
home for their Easter holidays.Mrs. E. L. Colman and daughter,
Miss Ruth Colman, who have been
in Chicago, have returned home.Miss Agnes Anderson, who is at-
tending the Chicago university; Miss
Mary Anderson, who is attending the
Sargent school at Cambridge, Miss.,
and Miss Helen Anderson, who is at
the Simmons school at Boston are
spending their vacation with their
parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ander-
son.Miss Margaret Easton will not be at
home for the Easter holidays but
will spend them in New York.The Misses Henrietta and Kath-
erine Martindale, who are at Smith,
will visit friends near Boston.

Sold Wife to Friend.

At the village of Utznach, Switzer-
land, the other day, a curious sale
took place. With her own consent a
woman was sold by her husband to
another man, an Italian, and a friend
of the Swiss couple. The price asked
by the affectionate husband was four
dollars. To further "legalize" the
bargain, the Italian procured two wit-
nesses to the transaction and had a
contract written on stamped govern-
ment paper.

Two Leading Japanese Industries.

Nearly a million and a half families
in Japan devote all or part of their
time to silk culture. A million per-
sons are exclusively engaged in fish-
eries, while another million and a
half combine fishing with some other
occupations.

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"There's a Reason"

are a good protection against
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For delicious natural flavor, delicate aroma, abso-
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requisites of a good cocoa, it is the standard
Sold in 1/2 lb., 1/4 lb., 1/8 lb., and 1 lb. cans, net
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WALTER BAKER & CO. LIMITED
Established 1780 DORCHESTER, MASS.

50c—Special Photo Coupon—50c

VALUE 50c

We are offering as a special inducement this coupon worth
50c to you on every order of one dozen photographs valued at
\$3.00 or more. This coupon will apply on all Easter and spring
photograph orders placed up to and including April 14th.

DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY!

GRAW STUDIO
1223 Caledonia Street.

50c 50c

BAD OR GOOD
WEATHERIt all depends upon the
point of view. Good weath-
er for selling G. E. M.White Pine and bad weath-
er to catch the cold that
makes it necessary to have
a 25c bottle of that unsur-
passed remedy in the home.Remember it touches the
tickle and stops the cough.

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KODAKS AND SUPPLIES.

George H. Julsrud, who lives in
Rushford, Minn., was in the city yester-
day.W. R. McCoy from Tomah, visited
friends in the city yesterday.Homer Cotton is in Milwaukee for
a few days this week.NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that the
committee elected by the Upper,
Middle and Lower Coon Valley con-
gregations for the purpose of re-
ceiving bids on the parsonage, will
hold a meeting at the Coon Valley
village hall, on Wednesday, May 1,
1912, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the
purpose of receiving sealed bids on
said parsonage. Parsonage prop-
erty consists of 37 acres, more or
less, with buildings, and located
one mile west of Coon Valley, Wis.
Will be subject to the approval of
the congregations. Right is re-
served to reject any or all bids.
Bids can also be left with E. B.
Knudson, cashier Coon Valley
State bank. Bids to be considered
must be received not later than 9
o'clock a. m. May 1, 1912.Dated at Coon Valley, March 19,
1912.
MATH. MOLIEN, Secretary,
Coon Valley, Wis.AUTOMOBILE WANTED
The undersigned, Road and Bridge
committee, will receive sealed bids
for an automobile for the use of the
County Highway Commissioner at the
office of the county clerk at the court
house on the 9th day of April, 1912,
at 11 o'clock A. M. Machine to
have 20-horse power or more, to be
fully equipped, suitable for the pur-
pose, and cost not to exceed one
thousand dollars.The committee reserves the right
to reject any and all bids.PETER GULLICKSON,
FRED PAULSON,
WILLIAM WOLF,
H. A. JACOBS,
J. C. MOORE,
OSCAR H. HULBERG,
W. D. STRATMAN,
Road and Bridge Committee.

Here is 75 Cents

FOR YOU. With this cut out, and
25c cash, you can get a \$1.00
bottle of Indian Wa-Hoo Bitters,
for a limited time only.IT IS RECOMMENDED by the mak-
ers for Rheumatism, Blood Dis-
orders, Stomach Troubles, Liver
and Kidney Complaints, Dyspep-
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to the public by the Indian Medi-
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503 Main StreetWhat
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Did You Ever
Cuddledown into one of Grand-
mother's feather beds?
Gee! what a fine night's
sleep! And how you did
hate to get up!You regret that grand-
mother's feather beds
have gone out of date.
But you can still enjoy
its comforts by letting us
clean the feathers and
make them up into a mat-
tress that brings back the
good old days.

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"The
Young Man's
Church"An address to men by
PROF. M. E. NURSEY. M. C. A. HALL
Sunday, March 313:30 o'clock
Every Man in La Crosse invited.

ADMISSION FREE!

BLAME MILITANTS

LONDON, March 30.—In caustic
paragraphs the local newspapers fa-
vorable to suffrage today place the
responsibility for the defeat of the
conciliation bill at the doors of the
militant suffragettes.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

Your druggist will refund money if
PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any
case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or
Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days.
50c.Pneumatic tools are now used with
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THIS is the largest hotel in Mt. Clemens and is patronized by the very best people. It is handsomely furnished and equipped throughout with all modern conveniences—located in a beautiful park with refined surroundings—best cuisine and service. The baths and waters here are very effective in the relief of

Rheumatism, Neuralgia and Nervous Diseases, Blood and Skin Affections, Indigestion, Paralysis, Locomotor Ataxia, Etc.

The Colonial Bath House is complete in equipment and not excelled by the best in this country. Elevator direct to bath house from each floor of the hotel.

For further information regarding treatment, hotel accommodations, etc., address Manager

MT. CLEMENS, MICH.

Harmony Rose Soap

In Harmony Rose Glycerine Soap you get for 25 cents one and one-half pounds of as fine a soap as is manufactured.

Half-pound bars 10c; 3 for 25c.

O. T. ERHART

DRUGGIST

Majestic Theater Building

FISHERMEN MEET AND TALK LAWS

Many Out of Town Men Here to Confer with Local Members of Hunting Club

A meeting of fishermen and sportsmen interested in the protection and propagation of game and fish will be held in Dr. A. T. Rasmussen's office in the Linker building at 4 o'clock this afternoon. There are many market fishermen from out of town who have come to attend the lecture which is to be given by J. Alden Loring at the old Y. M. C. A. building tonight and the meeting was called to give these men a chance to talk over proposed legislation and other matters with the local members of the hunting and fishing association.

Among those who are here are William Gillette and Captain Riley of Genoa, the most prominent commercial fishermen on the lower river; David Gantenbein, of Diamond Bluff, a big factor in inland and river fishing; J. M. Axtell, a well known newspaper man, who represents the commercial fishermen of Lake Pepin.

These commercial fishermen are here owing to an impression that Mr. Loring's talk tonight would open the way to practical discussion of amendments to the game laws, in which they are vitally interested. Since coming here they have learned that Mr. Loring will confine himself almost exclusively to game and song birds. However, the opportunity for the seiners and sportsmen to touch elbows will not be lost, as the meeting in President Rasmussen's office this afternoon is in the nature of an informal reception at which the men may give their ideas regarding laws and conditions in general, and get acquainted.

INDIANAPOLIS IS CONVENTION CITY

CHICAGO, March 29.—The socialist national convention will be held at Indianapolis, Ind., May 12. Announcement was made today by John M. Work, national secretary of the socialist party, that the referendum vote of the party, which has been in progress for over a month, resulted in 22,501 for Indianapolis and 11,521 for Oklahoma City.

HOLLEY SPEAKS TO GIRLS AT Y. W. C. A.

At the Vesper Services at the Young Women's Christian association tomorrow afternoon Mr. John M. Holley, Sr., is to address the girls on the subject of "The Young Woman in Business." This talk is sure to prove of interest to all business girls and a cordial invitation is extended to the young women of the city to attend this meeting Sunday afternoon. Special music is to be furnished by the Misses Agnes Schaller and Eva Gayman.

It's no trouble for a slow man to exceed the speed limit when he starts down hill.

DOUGLAS COUNTY COMMENDS PLAN

Secretary of Superior Organization Congratulates La Crosse on Move to Fight Plague

HE TELLS OF THEIR SUCCESS

Northern County Tuberculosis Sanatorium Saves the Lives of Many, Says Woman Worker

E. S. Heberd of the permanent tuberculosis committee is in receipt of a letter from Florence S. Pwo, general secretary of the Associated Charities of Superior telling of the success of the Douglas county sanatorium and congratulating La Crosse county on the steps taken to combat tuberculosis. The letter in full is:

"Superior, Wis., March 28. 'E. S. Heberd, La Crosse, Wis. 'My Dear Mr. Heberd: In reply to your letter regarding a new tuberculosis sanatorium at Parkland, I would say that it is entirely fulfilling our expectations.

"It has been opened just a month. The men's ward is completely filled. As is usual I believe in the case of sanatoria, the women's ward has not filled up so rapidly. The sanatorium has a capacity for twenty patients, but has a capacity of twenty patients, they had only one woman and ten men. We think that is very good for a start. We have several other men in town who should be out there, but we will probably not be able to get them there for a while. The patients have done as well as we expected. The great value of the institution lies in the fact that we know that those patients who are there, are not affecting their families, the houses in which they live and the neighborhood.

"I know of no situation in the poor family, more hopeless than where there is a patient in an advanced stage of tuberculosis, who knows nothing about the care that he should take of himself to protect the rest of the family. If a father, his little children hang over him, and are almost certain to catch the disease through his carelessness or rather through his lack of information. There is nothing we can do for such a case as effectual as to place him in a sanatorium where he will receive care which makes him comfortable. "Another great advantage in having a sanatorium has been that all cases of tuberculosis that have heretofore gone to our county poor farm or county insane asylum are now put in the sanatorium. Last fall I saw a patient in the asylum dying of tuberculosis. He was lying in the ward where there must have been twelve or fifteen other beds. No sanitary precautions were being taken with him to prevent the other patients from contracting the disease.

"Such an instance as this does not alone belong to Douglas county. I know another place in this state where an aged man was placed in the county poor house with no signs of tuberculosis. After being there a few months he came away in an advanced stage and finally died of the disease. In another county thirty-eight per cent of the inmates of the poor house were found to have signs of tuberculosis.

"The life of the aged and insane is hard enough when they have to be taken care of as dependents without adding to their misfortune by placing them where they are exposed to the danger of contracting tuberculosis. We of Douglas county are glad that such statements can not be made of the treatment of our poor after this.

"I am glad to hear that your county is likely to build a sanatorium. We need further state legislation regarding segregation of advanced cases but we can not make laws until we have the institutions where the patients may be placed. Our county can not expect general legislation until other counties make provisions for the care of patients. Therefore we are interested and anxious that your sanatorium proposition may be carried through that we may all work together in handling the problem of this disease of the masses. I know it is a problem in La Crosse as well as in Superior for I remember some critical cases that I met in your city two years ago.

"With the best wishes for the successful outcome of your work, I am, Very sincerely yours,

FLORENCE S. PWO, General Secretary, Associated Charities."

The regular meeting of the La Crosse Equal Suffrage association will meet at the public library hall at 8 o'clock Monday evening, April 1. All members are requested to be present as much business of importance is to be transacted.

MUSICAL COMEDY STAR AT MAJESTIC

Frederick V. Bowers will be the big feature of the bill which opens tomorrow at the Majestic theater. He comes with the best in "College Days" and with McIntyre and Heath. He is a musical comedy star of note. The rest of the bill includes Mona Moneta and Edwin Wilbur, Tom Barton and Nell Fox, and LeVitte, a lightning change artist who plays seven characters in one play. The theater will be closed the last half of next week, and a special concert will be given Easter Sunday afternoon. The vaudeville will not be resumed until the Monday following Easter.

The ideals a man lives up to he has radically revised, so he can,

GRANKE AND ROTH ARE CRITICIZED

Trades and Labor Council Adopts Resolution Condemning Action of Aldermen

DECLARE ACT DISHONORABLE

Claim that Method of Defeating Referendum Vote on Market Buildings Is Disgraceful

Aldermen H. J. Roth and Otto Granke were condemned as being unfit to hold public positions at the meeting of the Trades and Labor council last night according to a resolution which was adopted by that organization. The resolution is the result of the action of these aldermen in bringing in a minority report on the public market place, which recommended that the question should not be submitted to the people. The resolution in full is as follows:

"Whereas, a move is on foot at La Crosse to build a public market house, and

"Whereas, a move is on foot at present to reduce the high cost of living in the city of La Crosse by the establishment of two public market houses; and

"Whereas, committees of the Trades and Labor council, Grocers' association, the Merchants' Protective association and the social democratic party worked in harmony to secure such market house, for the benefit of all the people of the city of La Crosse; and

"Whereas, after many delays by the common council to have the matter referred to a referendum the allied committees met a committee from the common council on two occasions; and

"Whereas, at the last meeting of the common council committee with the allied committees the city attorney, Mr. Schubert, appeared and tried to persuade the common council committee to report unfavorably on the market house question to the common council; and

"Whereas, after listening to the protest of the city attorney, the committee of the common council took a vote and reported to the allied committees that they were unanimously in favor of asking the council to put the public market house question to a referendum; and

"Whereas, at the council meeting a minority and majority report were presented, each signed by three members of the committees; and

"Whereas, the common council, having adopted the minority report refusing to refer the matter to the people, therefore be it

"Resolved, that the Trades and Labor council of the city of La Crosse condemn the action of the common council as reactionary and undemocratic; and be it further

"Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be sent to the common council.

COMPANY ADOPTS PENSION SYSTEM

Employees of Western Union Telegraph Company to Receive Pay After Retirement

J. Kaeppler, manager of the local offices of the Western Union Telegraph company today received notice of the new pension plan which has been adopted for the employees of the company.

According to the new pension plan an employee of the company who retires after twenty years' service will receive a pension of one per cent of the average salary received during the last ten years multiplied by the number of years of service. Employees retiring after twenty-five years but who have not been in the service of the company for thirty-five years will receive one and one-half per cent for each additional year over twenty-five. Those retiring between thirty-five and forty years of service will receive two per cent for each additional year after twenty-five and all retiring after forty years of service will receive half pay during the remainder of their lives.

In cases where the pension will amount to less than \$25 that amount will be paid. The maximum pension is \$100.

There are sixteen employees of the company in this city. Miss Louisa Sees, one of the local operators will be entitled to a pension after two more years of service.

The purpose of establishing a pension system is to promote a friendly interest between employers and employees and to produce more efficient service.

A process has been invented in England for the artificial production of wood from straw or gray grass.

NOSE STOPPED UP WITH CATARRH

A Common Sense Treatment for Colds and Catarrh. Gives Instant Relief.

No matter how miserable you are with catarrh or a cold in the head, nose stopped up, throat sore, eye running, dull pain in the head, dry cough, fever, foul breath, Ely's Cream Balm will give you instant relief.

It gets right at the root of the trouble, cleanses, heals and strengthens the raw, sore membranes, stops the nasty discharge so that you are not constantly blowing the nose and spitting. In a few minutes after applied you can just feel it doing its work of clearing the head, the pain and soreness are relieved, the breathing becomes natural and the stuffed up feeling is gone. This cleansing, healing, antiseptic Balm contains no mercury, cocaine or other harmful drugs. It is easy to apply, pleasant to use, and never fails to give relief, even in the worst cases.

Never neglect a cold, and don't suffer the miseries of catarrh nor disgust your friends with your hawking, spitting and foul breath. Get a 50 cent bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist, and start the treatment at once. You will find that it will be the best investment you ever made.

WINONA PASTOR IS COMING HERE

Rev. W. F. Fritze to Conduct Lenten Services at German Methodist Church

Rev. W. F. Fritze, member of the North German conference of the Methodist Episcopal church and pastor of the First German Methodist church of Winona, will be in charge of the Lenten services to be held at the First German Methodist church of La Crosse during the coming week.

Mr. Fritze is one of the best known religious workers in this section of the country and is held in high esteem as an able and aggressive

speaker by his fellow clergymen. He will select several interesting subjects to speak upon at the evening services next week.

The Lenten services at the First German Methodist church which opened Monday have been conducted by Rev. John Klaus, pastor, Rev. B. C. Brandenburg, district superintendent, and Rev. W. J. Witter, pastor of the Second German Methodist church, during the present week.

Rev. Witter, who spoke on "The Convincing Christ or How to Overcome Doubt" at last night's meeting, received the commendation and praise of the large congregation who were in attendance. Rev. Klaus today declared that Rev. Witter is one of the growing young men of the conference who may be expected to reach the top.

A men's meeting will be held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon which will be conducted by Rev. Fritze.

Some people never seem to tire of making other people tired.

A Bracelet Season

This spring will be a popular Bracelet season. Why? Because of the short sleeves now so fashionable. And nothing so much, adds to the charm of a woman's arm as a pretty bracelet.

We have a beautiful line of Bracelets, in solid gold, gold filled and sterling silver, in scores of styles and patterns, plain, engraved and jeweled.

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OWEN AND HANNAN VISIT LA CROSSE

Candidate for Nomination of Attorney General and La Follette Manager Here

CONFER WITH PROGRESSIVES

Colonel Hannan on Way to Nebraska to Arrange for Campaign Next Week

State Senator Walter C. Owen of Maiden Rock, candidate for the nomination of attorney general on the progressive republican ticket, stopped off in La Crosse yesterday for a short conference with a few of the political leaders of this district. He was on his way to Baraboo, where he delivered a speech in support of the La Follette delegates of that district. He will deliver an address in Rhinelander tonight.

Mr. Owen's only opponent for the attorney general nomination is Philip Lahner of Princeton and he is not making an active campaign for the place on the ticket.

Colonel John J. Hannan, private secretary and one of the managers of the La Follette presidential campaign, also held a conference with some of the La Crosse progressives at the Milwaukee station yesterday. He came through La Crosse on the 5:45 train on his way to Huron, S. D., where he will look over the situation in South Dakota. He will hold a meeting with some of the leading politicians of that state today. From Huron, Col. Hannan will go to Lincoln, Neb., where he will complete the arrangements for the La Follette campaign in that state which begins the first part of next week. It is understood that Col. Hannan urged some of the local progressives to take part in the Nebraska campaign but whether any will be able to go has not been announced.

Col. Hannan declared that the outlook in Nebraska and California is very encouraging to Mr. La Follette, and that he is confident of landing a full delegation from both of those states. He said that Mr. La Follette had more than a fighting chance in several of the other progressive states.

ARTISTIC WINDOWS ATTRACT ATTENTION

Of the many beautiful spring windows that are to be seen down town, none are more artistic in conception than those of the Komiss-Robertson company. The beautiful effects that are possible with ladies' furnishings have been utilized to the fullest extent, and the result is at once pleasing and attention-compelling.

The general color scheme is worked out in light blue and white. Three large ovals occupy each window, and within each oval stands a figure dressed in the most becoming spring garments. Suspended above these are two cupids, with blue and white ribbons running from their hands to the base of the ovals. Spring flowers in profusion complete the design. The effect when these windows are lighted is one that leaves a good impression of the store, the goods and the management.

MOTOR BOAT CLUB MOTOR BOAT CLUB

The annual meeting of the La Crosse Motor Boat club was held at the offices of the Open Exhaust Publishing company last night. The following officers were elected for the year:

Commodore, D. S. Fairbairn; vice commodore, Lee Bell; rear commodore, W. F. Hurligen; fleet captain, Theodore Thompson; secretary, H. J. Holley; treasurer, R. T. Ray; directors, George B. Rose, Jr., F. H. Fowler, W. A. Wagner, R. C. Whelpley, W. Bell.

Officers of the association today announced that the rule which has been in force heretofore barring all from membership who are not owners of launches, has been repealed. In the future all who are interested in motor boating will be eligible for membership.

YOUNG MAN'S CHURCH SUBJECT OF LECTURE

The fifth in the series of practical talks of interest to young men especially which have been given on Sunday afternoons at the Y. M. C. A. will be given tomorrow afternoon in the Association Hall by Prof. F. E. Nurse of the Normal school. His theme will be "The Young Man's Church," Mr. Nurse, by training and experience, is well fitted to speak with authority on this subject. These meetings are open to men of all ages and a general invitation is extended the public to come.

CARD OF THANKS

Heartfelt thanks to kind friends and neighbors for sympathy and assistance during illness and death of our beloved mother, daughter and sister, Mrs. Augusta Goschke, and to all who sent floral offerings. Special thanks to Rev. Gamm and German Lutheran choir.

MRS. AUGUSTA LAST and Family.

JOHN GOSCHKE.

Old Country GREEN SOAP

Mr. Benjamin Fay Mills, an orator of national reputation will likely speak in La Crosse next Thursday evening under the auspices of the La Crosse Equal Suffrage association.

CLERK PREPARES FOR ELECTION

Preparation for the placing of ballot boxes in the various voting booths throughout the city was started this morning. City Clerk E. H. Hoffmahn today announced the following list of voting booths:

First ward—No. 714 La Crosse. Second ward—Market square. Third ward—Fifth and Hood. Fourth ward—Old high school. Eighth and Main streets. Fifth ward—No. 2 police station. Mill street. Sixth ward—School house, Eighth and Division streets. Seventh ward—Redfield street school house. Ninth ward—School house, Avon and Logan streets. Tenth ward—School house, Kane and Gillette streets. Eleventh ward—Fourteenth and Badger streets. Twelfth ward—City hall. Thirteenth ward—Corner Third and Market streets. Fourteenth ward—School house, Sixteenth and ine streets. Fifteenth ward—School house, corner Island and Berlin streets. Sixteenth ward—New high school. Seventeenth ward—No. 3 fire station, Sixth and Mississippi. Eighteenth ward—School house, Eighth and Adams streets. Nineteenth ward—School house, Caledonia and St. James streets. Twentieth ward—Corner George and Gohres streets. Twenty-first ward—Old Shooting park.

DEVELOPS BUST

Famous Mme. DuBarrie Positive French Method now offered to ladies of America for first time. Develops luxuriously 2 to 8 inches, 30 days. Satisfactorily by young or elderly ladies. Method fully explained in new remarkable illustrated booklet, sent for 25 cents to help you choose. Madame DuBarrie, Suite 217, Postoffice Bldg., Chicago, Illinois.

FARMERS STRONG FOR FREE BRIDGE

Judge Farrell, La Crescent, Says They Will Pay to Keep Up Road if the Bridge Is Made Free

THE TOLL HURTS FARMERS

Farmers Go Over the Ice Bridge in Winter to Save 15 Cents; Would Reduce Cost of Produce

That there will be any number of farmers in Houston county read and willing to chip in anywhere from five to fifty dollars toward the up-keep of the La Crescent road, providing the bridge is made free at the coming election, was the statement made to a Tribune reporter today by Judge J. W. Farrell, a resident of La Crescent, who is thoroughly conversant with the stand taken by Minnesota men on the question.

Mr. Farrell says that Minnesota farmers want the bridge free, and are willing to stand a portion of the expense of repairing the bridge if the citizens of La Crosse will remove the toll. He also declares that the general sentiment in Houston county is to the effect that if La Crosse will remove the toll, the farmers across the river will do all in their power, through their own influence and by circulating petitions, to have Barron's Island ceded to Wisconsin.

Toll Makes Difference

"It is foolishness," said Mr. Farrell this afternoon, "to imagine that the twenty-five cents toll does not matter to the farmer. It is very easily improved, too. During the winter the farmers from Minnesota went a mile and a quarter out of their way to cross the river on the ice bridge, for which they were charged ten cents, to save fifteen cents. They came right up to the Minnesota end of the bridge, at the bathhouse, and then turned south and went a long way out of their road to save this fifteen cents. In the meantime the expenses of the bridge to La Crosse went on just the same. The twenty-five cents toll amounts to twenty-five dollars during the year if a farmer makes two trips a week, as many of them do, and they are averse to paying this extra tax."

Mr. Farrell believes that farmers from Minnesota will use the bridge as never before if the toll is taken off. He declares the general sentiment is to patronize the La Crosse market if given a chance by the removal of the toll. The result would be a drop in the cost of living, is the belief of Mr. Farrell.

Mr. Farrell also took the opportunity to point out that prices charged for meat in La Crosse are the same as those charged in Chicago. He declares that the reason for this is that all the meat from the stock-raisers in Minnesota is shipped direct to Chicago, and thence back in the form of dressed meat to La Crosse. "Going around Cape Horn" is the apt expression by which Mr. Farrell characterizes this indirect journey. With the free bridge, Mr. Farrell believes that meat would come to La Crosse on the hoof, and the lack of transportation charges would make a material difference in the retail cost.

The Minnesota farmers want to make the causeway over to La Crescent a state highway, and this they will be unable to do so long as the toll remains on the bridge. For this reason, if for no other, asserts Mr. Farrell, the farmers are strong for the free bridge, and will make every effort to convince citizens of this city that the bridge will be a benefit to them through the increased trade and lower cost of living it will bring.

SPOTLIGHTS

Green Stockings

A. E. W. Mason, author of "Green Stockings," the new comedy in which Miss Anglin is now appearing and in which she will be seen at the La Crosse Theater tonight, is the well known and brilliant English novelist whose works have long been popular in this country. Mr. Mason is a member of the British parliament. In his early years, he was an actor of no little repute but abandoned the stage when his present successful literary career opened out to him.

Uncle Tom's Cabin

Jollity, tender sentiment, lively dialogue, spectacular situations, thrilling climax and poetic justice—all are prettily blended in ancient-honored "Uncle Tom's Cabin," which the renowned Stetson company offer at the La Crosse Theater Sunday, matinee and night. Throughout this grand old stage story is illustrated the vagaries of life and the versatility of human nature. The law of compensation, so dear to Emerson, is strictly observed. The pathetic death of Little Eva has no sooner covered the audience with sorrow's pall, than a stunning vaudeville number comes to restore the flooded or merely drooping soul. The Stetson company is the acknowledged leader in the production of Harriet Beecher Stowe's masterpiece. The cast is large in numbers and well distributed. The blood-hounds and ponies, the music and scenic effects, costumes and accessories are all of the best attainable. Specialties glitter through the evening like stars in a wintry sky. In the Leon-Washington-Stetson company there are all kinds of dramatic greatness. It is in a class by itself. Go and see it or you will miss the year's best offering.

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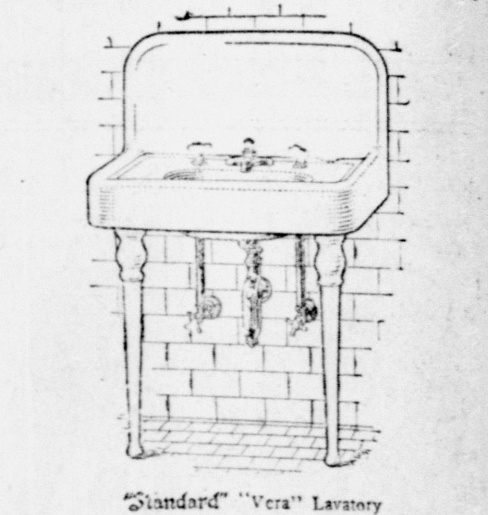
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AN ABLE DISCUSSION

EYE EXAMINATION OF YOUR CHILD

There is so much discussion among parents over the merits of glasses fitted to the eyes with eye-drops or atropine, and those fitted without, that I am urged to write and let you decide the matter for yourself.

FOR THE TEACHER

We will take your innocent child, whom you suspect of visual defects, and drop these mydriatic drops into its eyes, preparatory for an examination of optical errors.

What takes place? Soon the pupils dilate, which increases the aperture in the iris diaphragm in front of the lens in the eye, whose constants we wish to determine.

Is that a normal condition of the eye? No! This drug has paralyzed the ciliary muscles of the eye; the tiny muscles which enable you to see, to read, or look far off in the distance—hence called accommodation.

Now then when this deadly poison has paralyzed these muscles, the doctor attempts to measure the constants and fit glasses to an abnormal eye, and make these glasses fit the eye, when it becomes normal. Does it sound reasonable? Does the eye ever get in this condition in its daily use? No!

Is your child's eye any different structurally than yours? No!

Yet the doctor does not dare use

the "eye-drop," atropine in middle aged folks, because it is more liable to produce blindness (glaucoma.)

THE DOCTORS ADMIT IT

Here is the way to go about to prove drops not necessary

You refuse to permit the doctor to use eye drops, when he says drops must be used, to examine your eyes and see him wince, and then go ahead and make his examination without the drops.

Of course he is incapable because this requires skill.

I'll quote Drs. Norris and Oliver, of the University of Pennsylvania: "In all eye examinations the student should avoid the use of mydriatic drops. He should learn to depend on his own skill, and the time will soon come, when he will find mydriatics unnecessary."

Dr. George M. Gould, the medical lexicographer says: "The practitioner has been known to err, in this respect, and by the use of atropia-drops has developed a thousand times worse disease than he sought to cure."

Dr. D. B. St. John Roosa, formerly of the New York Post-Graduate Medical School and Hospital, said: "Atropine, at first clearly pointed out by Dr. Derby will precipitate an attack of glaucoma (absolute blindness)."

Please note that all these above quotations are from doctors of medi-

cine, and are spoken to men of their kind.

This advice is good for you, and should be heeded, if you have the interests of your child at heart, and do not care to injure its eyes, simply to make it easier for some doctor to blunder and slight his work.

MEDICAL SCHOOLS DO NOT TEACH OPTOMETRY

Even though there are optically qualified medical eye specialists, who must have taken other collegiate degrees than that of medicine, yet one of them, Dr. George M. Gould in Medical Review, without reserve or distinction charges that:

"As a profession our refraction work has not been correctly done. Avarice, desire for success, blunderfulness, etc., i. e., lack of a simple good school of optometry, all these things and more have usually made our diagnosis of errors of refraction and glasses-treatment an utter and amazing farce. Every student has learned to do refraction work a different way, and is mostly self-taught; hence, there is absolute individualism; and they all rely upon opticians to make and fit glasses they prescribe. Ophthalmology, long vaunted as the most exact of medical sciences, is in truth the most ludicrously inexact."

Another medical authority says: "Students are taught only the diseases of the eye—they must learn refraction work afterward from some doctor who may have entirely wrong

ideas. . . . At least half of the people in America need glasses; at present it is utterly impossible for any but a small fraction of that number to get right and accurate ones."

WHAT IS AN OCULIST?

An oculist is a medical practitioner—an M. D.—a physician and surgeon in the usual sense of these terms or titles. He is licensed by a state board to practice medicine, and because the board, on examination, has found that he is qualified so to practice.

The license is a voucher of his qualifications, and the permit to practice exacted by law.

The medical license of a state board is just as broad, and just as narrow for one licensee as another. Oculists are not licensed as oculists, but as medical practitioners. He simply says he is an oculist.

His license permits him to practice dentistry but could he do this work as well as your dentist?

Can he fit glasses correctly with drops as well as one like myself collegiately qualified to practice optometry?

OPTICIANS FITTED GLASSES FIRST

Dr. G. Lindsay Johnson, M. D., F. R. C. S., defines boundary between optometric and oculistic field and says: "It is impossible to say that opticians had no claim to prescribe glasses, because they had been doing so from the time of Sylvanus

Amatus in the 13th century.

"Six or seven hundred years, therefore, had elapsed since they first started fitting people with spectacles, on the other hand oculists had only been engaged on this work for sixty or seventy years at the outside."

TWENTY-SIX STATES

Have laws to regulate the practice of optometry.

Who opposed the passage of these laws? The doctors! Why? Because, they wished to be exempted from having to take these examinations. They were not qualified to pass. They could not pass without collegiately preparing to take the examination.

Yet they are allowed to fit glasses, and many do, as a side line to their practice.

THE PROOF

Columbia University of New York graduates its doctors of medicine from their medical department, and they have a separate course for those who wish to learn to fit glasses.

This course requires two more years of study and is a separate department from medicine.

This proves medicine and optometry to be two different sciences by the great educators of this country.

THE LAST THOUGHT

Are all these prominent men and women who are wearing my correct glasses doing so in ignorance?

Could I do this work so successfully, without "atropia-drops," for

them and not be able to do it for you?

If you are interested in this work, let me refer you to these people.

Some have had glasses fitted by doctors with "atropia-drops" to their chagrin and discomfort.

A CHALLENGE

Bring me a case that is in need of optical assistance, and if I fail to supply correct glasses without using "atropia-drops" I will supply you free with the glasses fitted by the doctor using "eye-drops," upon presenting his prescription for such glasses to me.

Am I fair? I'll be honest with you and your children.

The reader will particularly note that all things quoted are from the words of doctors of medicine and cannot be accepted by you as a "knock" from me.

All I wish to do here is to correct a wrong and give you what is called "a square deal" without any deep hidden mysteries, and in so doing I do not defend the optical fakirs, who go about selling glasses. Anyone can do that, and as long as you will buy glasses fitted that way, we will have those fellows with us.

A little booklet issued by the American Optical association on the Conservation of Vision and Modern Optometry will be mailed free to any address by H. C. Evenson, Eyesight specialist, 500 Main St.

This booklet ought to be in the hands of every mother and father and educator.

STOMACH FOR EVIDENCE

CHICAGO, March 30.—Demanding that portions of the stomach and other organs of Richard T. Smith, alleged victim of Mrs. Louise Vermilya's "pepper box," be brought into court and that an analysis to prove the presence of arsenic be made before the jury, Attorney Joseph R. Burres spring a surprise on the prosecution in the trial of the "woman of mystery."

OMAHA ANNULS TRAINS

NEW RICHMOND, Wis., March 30.—As a result of the impending coal shortage, it was announced at division headquarters of the Chicago, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad here that after April 1, a number of local passenger trains will be temporarily discontinued. Eight trains are effected by the order.

POPE REFUSES TO POSE

ROME, March 30.—The vatican officials refused an offer of 2,000,000 lire (approximately \$400,000) made by moving picture men for the privilege of taking "Movies" of the pope receiving the Easter pilgrimage. This is the most stupendous offer ever made for a series of pictures but it was admitted such a set of films, if perfect, would be the greatest money makers ever taken. The promoters had received enormous financial bids from every country for the privilege of showing the pictures.

SUICIDE ATTEMPT FAILS

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 30.—Surgeons at the Emergency hospital announced at noon yesterday that Stephen Stalver, 34, Plymouth, Wis., who made a sensational attempt at suicide Thursday night on a crowded street car, would recover.



First German Methodist Church

First German Methodist church, corner Seventh and Perry streets, John H. Klaus, pastor. Palm Sunday. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m., E. J. Berner, superintendent. Rev. W. F. Fritze from Winona will be with us to preach both morning and evening, and at 3 p. m. will speak to men only on the subject of "Strong Men." Lenten services continue during the week with preaching every evening by Rev. W. F. Fritze.

First Baptist Church

The First Baptist church, Sixth St., between Main and King, W. Adelbert Billings, minister. Palm Sunday service at 10:30 a. m. Special music. The pastor's sermon will be on "The Triumphal Entry." The Lord's supper will be observed and new members received at the close of this service. Bible school at noon. Classes for all. Young People's devotional meeting at 6:30 will be led by Forest Witcraft. The people's service of song and sermon at 7:30. The pastor will preach the fourth sermon in the series "Modern Lessons from Ancient Characters." The service will be concluded with the ordinance of Baptism. Colton mission Bible school at 3 p. m. Passion week services will be held next Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. Thursday evening the principal events in the life of our Lord will be shown by the stereopticon. Friday evening a service composed mostly of music and meditation on "The Seven Words from the Cross." The general public is urged to come to all these special services.

First Congregational

First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets, Henry Faville, pastor. Worship, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. O. L. Robinson of Madison, secretary of the Sunday school department of the Congregational association of Wisconsin, will speak morning and evening. In the morning his topic will be "Close the Gap." In the evening there will be an address and conference in the church parlors, to which all are invited who are interested in Bible school work. Officers and teachers and parents are especially invited. Bible school at noon. Woman's class conducted by Mrs. Best. Secretary C. F. Ogden will lead the men's class.

Topic, "Christian Men in Action in the Big Brother Movement."

Christ Episcopal Church

Christ Episcopal church, Ninth and Main streets. Sunday, March 31. Rev. W. Everett Johnson, rector. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Morning prayer with sermon by rector at 10:45 a. m.; evensong with sermon at 4:30 p. m.; Music for the day: Benedicite, Brewer in G; Benedictus, Garrett in F; antiphon, "Jerusalem," Parker; magnificent and Nunc Dimittis, Lemare in F; solo, "The Palms," (Faure), Mr. Ivan Arbuckle.

English Lutheran

English Evangelical Lutheran church of the Holy Trinity, West avenue and Perry street. Rev. W. P. Christy, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; chief service, 10:45 a. m.; evening service, 7:30 p. m. At the morning service a number of new members will be received. The Ladies' Aid society will meet at the church on Wednesday at 3 p. m. Holy week services on every night except Monday and Saturday. That on Good Friday is preparatory to the Easter communion.

St. Paul's Universalist

St. Paul's Universalist church, Eighth and Cass streets, George R. Longbrake, minister. Public worship with sermon, "Real Failure and True Success," a Palm Sunday message, 10:30 o'clock a. m. Special music at this service as follows: By Mrs. Eva Bennett, organist, "Romance" (Lemare); Pastorale (Lemare), and Chant du Roi Rene (Gailmant). Also by Miss Alma Hosley, soprano, "Palm Branches" (Faure). Sunday school with classes for all ages and latest graded lessons, 11:45 a. m. Young People's Christian Union will assemble 45 minutes earlier than the usual time for the devotional meeting which begins at 6:30 p. m.

First Methodist Church

First Methodist Episcopal church, King and Eighth streets, Rev. Louis Magin, pastor. 9:30 a. m., class meeting. Mr. Steadwell leads; 10:30 a. m., morning worship, sermon by the pastor; topic, "A New Kind of King." Miss Damon will sing "The Palms." 12 m., Sunday school. Mr. Bangsberg, superintendent; 6:45 p. m., Epworth league devotional service. Miss Dinsdale's class, will have charge. Subject, "The Indian." 7:30 p. m., evening praise service; sermon topic, "Christ Weeping Over the City." Solo by Mrs. Faber. Passion week will be observed by special service. The pastor gives a series of sermons on "The Arrest and the Trials of Jesus." Services at 7:45 p. m. Tuesday, "The Arrest and Judas;" Wednesday, "The Trial Before Caiaphas;" Thursday, "The Trial Before Herod;" Friday, "The Trial Before Pilate." A chorus will lead the singing. Special music at every service. Everyone is welcome.

German Baptist

German Baptist church, corner of Seventh and Winnebago streets, E. Berger, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; morning service at 10:45; evening service at 7:30. The pastor will preach at both services.

First Presbyterian Church

First Presbyterian church, corner King and Sixth streets, D. C. Jones, pastor. Morning service, 10:30. Sunday school, 12 m. Junior Endeavor, 3 p. m.; Senior Endeavor, 6:30.

Emmanuel Church

Emmanuel church.—Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. Morning service, 10:30. Young People's meeting, 6:45 p. m.

First Church of Christ Scientist

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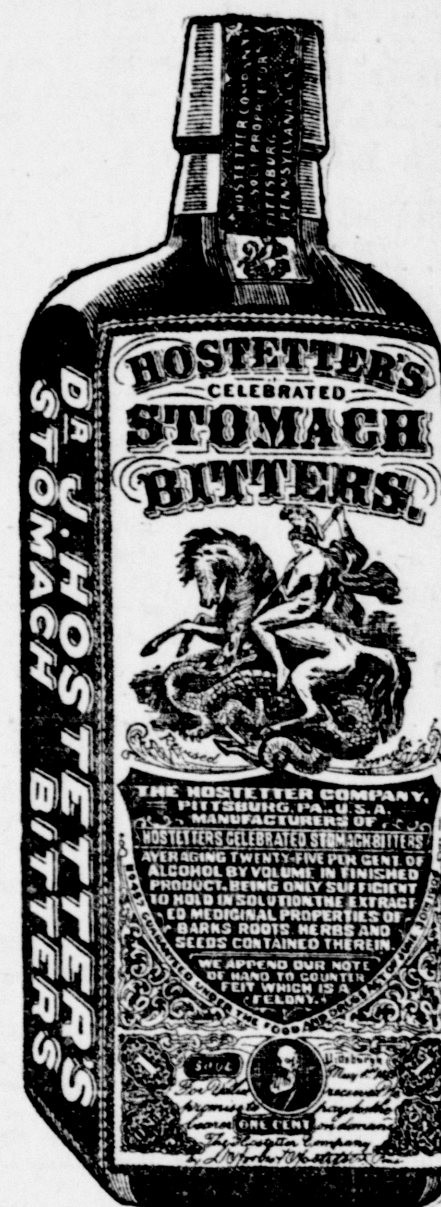
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FOR SALE—Reasonable, two good houses. 1709 Mississippi street. 3 25 30

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FOR SALE—Brick cottage, 1107 State street. 3 18 12

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FOR SALE—Single and double driving harness, some light and heavy horses, one span of mares with foal and two light baggage wagons. Gateway City Transfer Co. 3 18 30

FOR SALE—Good residence, one block from car line. 1603 Johnson street. 3 13 41

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FOR SALE OR RENT—270 acre farm, 20 miles south of La Crosse. For full particulars address Wm. B. Monti, La Crosse, Wis. 2 15 12

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FOR SALE—Grocery stock in one of the best locations in La Crosse. Long big business. Stock in good condition. Rent cheap. Reason for selling, have other business to care for. Inquire Temte & Syverson, 1400 Berlin. 3 1 12

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FOR RENT—House, 919 Market street. 3 30 46

FOR RENT—Four rooms with gas and water. Upstairs, 1014 Pine. 3 30 12

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 209 So. 5th. 3 30 42

FOR RENT—Five rooms, partly modern. Inquire 1312 Winnebago. 3 28 30

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FOR RENT—Four rooms upstairs, 526 Mississippi street, \$5.00. 3 30 42

FOR RENT—Two office rooms, next door to new Elks' building. 514 1/2 State. 3 30 12

FOR RENT—Seven room house, 123 North Seventh. Inquire 131 North Seventh. 3 30 42

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FOR RENT—Five room house, 405 N. Fourth. 3 29 42

FOR RENT—House, 1214 South Ninth street. 3 25 12

FOR RENT—Six room house, 1417 Farnam. 3 26 30

FOR RENT—Two finely furnished modern rooms; gentlemen preferred. 617 Cass. 6 28 12

FOR RENT—Nice 8 room house, all modern conveniences. Call 621 Cass street. 3 28 43

FOR RENT—Modern eight room flat in good condition, at 806 Caledonia. 3 28 12

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. 514 Ferry. Old phone 5571. 3 28 44

FOR RENT—Six room strictly modern house, corner Sixth and Vine street. No water rent, \$20.00 per month. J. H. Lightbody. 2 23 12

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Lost

LOST—Locket, set with opal and pearls. Return to 1208 Rose for reward. 3 29 42

LOST—Last Tuesday, Child's necklace, set with four small pearls, between Lutheran hospital and north side. Finder leave at Tribune office. 3 30 12

LOST—Package Friday, containing embroidery, between Bartel's store and Schulz's, or picked up by mistake at Schulz's. Leave

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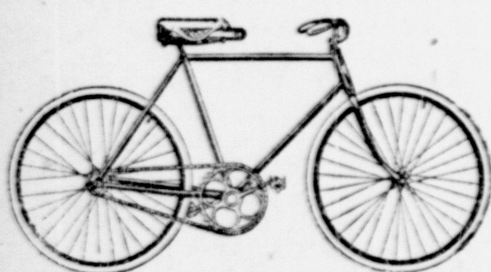
Theatre Closed Next
Thurs., Fri. and Sat.

MAJESTIC

Watch Our Big Surprise for Easter Sun.

MURDER IN PRISON
LOINCOLN, Neb., March 30.—Another murder was added today to the recent chain of tragedies at the Nebraska penitentiary. John Strong, 26, a negro, was stabbed to death by Charles Davis, 28, a half breed Indian.

CUTLER BEATS MARTINSON
CHICAGO, March 30.—Charlie Cutler, the American champion wrestler, is today credited with an easy victory over Paul Martinson. Cutler took two straight falls in their bout last night.



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GRAPPLERS BOTH DON'T SHOW UP

Miller and Little Fail to Appear for Bout Last Night; Hurley and Sampson Mix

Neither Walter Miller nor Jack Little arrived in the city for their wrestling match which was to have been held at the Majestic theater last evening and the crowd of fans present saw Young Hurley of Albany, Ill., and Young Sampson of the north side wrestle, and Bob Fredricks of Lansing, Iowa, and Jim Carr of Minneapolis in a thirty minute match.

A short time before the match was to be staged, John P. Moore, who promoted the match, received a telegram from Miller's manager announcing that the champion had broken a bone in his shoulder in a recent match and that he would be unable to appear here as all his matches had been called off. He announced that Jim Carr of Minneapolis would come in his place. No word was received from Little.

Following this advice the announcement was made that any fans who were not satisfied with the bouts which would be staged in place of the big match could get their money back by applying at the box office.

Bob Fredricks, the Lansing heavyweight, agreed to throw Jim Carr, who was sent here by A. N. Woods, Miller's manager, to wrestle, twice in thirty minutes. However, after thirty minutes of hard work he failed to throw the Minneapolis man. Both men did clever wrestling and although the Lansing heavyweight outweighed his opponent he was unable to pin his shoulders to the mat in the required time.

After the match Fredricks paid a great tribute to Carr when he announced that he is the best man he ever met. Carr announced that he was willing to wrestle any 158 pound wrestler in the country, barring none. "Of course, Fredricks is too heavy for me," he said.

In a rough match which lasted an hour and nine minutes, William Hurley and Young Sampson wrestled without either man getting a fall, and at times it appeared as if the bout would break up in a fight because of the rough tactics employed. After wrestling for thirty-nine min-

Will Probe the Cause of Riots



L. M. MAGILL
State's attorney who has prepared to submit evidence in regard to the recent rioting in Rock Island to a special grand jury.

utes without a fall, the men almost came to blows because it was claimed that Sampson was using the strangle hold, and Bob Fredricks, referee, had to separate the principals to avert a fight. Fredricks announced that he would call it a draw and that Hurley and Sampson would finish their match after the main bout of the evening.

Following the Fredricks-Carr go, it was announced that Hurley and Sampson would wrestle thirty minutes only because of the lateness of the hour. Neither man could get a fall during this time but the wrestling was fierce and rough throughout.

The management of the Majestic theater disclaims any connection with the affair last night, in which the two wrestlers scheduled failed to appear. The theater was rented from for the occasion, by the promoters of the bout.

The lighthouse service of the United States has cost \$150,000,000 during the last fifty years.

WATER IN SHELLS RACE CALLED OFF

Oxford Wins Annual Boat Race with Cambridge; Latter Are Swamped by Waves

LONDON, March 30.—After Oxford won the annual boat race with Cambridge today the race was declared no contest by the officials because Cambridge was swamped enroute while the Oxford crew stopped in the middle of the course to empty the water out of their shell.

The race throughout was a comedy of errors and the Cambridge officials protested that, as Oxford had failed to complete the starting signal, although the entire four and one-quarter miles was covered, they could not fairly claim a victory. The officials took that view and promptly declared the race off. Many of the Oxford adherents dissented and insisted that the Oxford crew acted wisely in stopping enroute to empty their boat which would otherwise have been swamped.

They took the water at 11:41. Cambridge pulling 38 strokes to the minute while their heavier opponents were pulling only 36, but with infinitely more power in their "bite."

The Oxford went into the lead right at the start and slowly, but surely crept ahead. In less than half a mile the Oxford boat had a lead of three lengths and even at that early stage there were evidences of ragged work in the challenging shell.

At Hammersmith bridge, one-third of the distance, Cambridge was falling farther and farther behind and there were shouts from the banks and the line of spectators to "give up" but they continued their work with the bulldog spirit that has always characterized the Cambridge crew.

Oxford, although the boat seemed about to sink at any minute, stuck to the work but, as there was no danger from Cambridge, the crew straightened up and only paddled, swinging the boat from time to time, avoiding the largest of the waves. The boat was filled with water above the seat so it slowly passed the finish line. The time, 29 minutes, 38 seconds, while farical compared with past performances, was remarkable when water conditions and the "logged" boat were taken into consideration.

Whether the race will be rowed over this year or not was referred to the Cambridge and Oxford captains who were to confer on the subject.

All of the Cambridge crew, with the exception of the coxswain, swam ashore. The coxswain held on to the water logged craft until the umpires' boat came along and took him off. Another launch then towed the water logged craft ashore.

Meanwhile Oxford was rowing along unconscious of the fate of their opponents. Their boat finally became so full of water that the crew jumped out and swam with their shell to the shore, where they emptied it and restarted, paddling the remainder of the distance. Their boat carried so much water at the finish line that it would have been swamped in a few more yards.

WINS IN FINAL ROUND

PINEHURST, N. C., March 30.—Mrs. J. Raymond Price today holds the title in the women's event of the United North and South Amateur Golf championship tournaments since her surprising defeat yesterday of Miss Kate Van Ostrand. In the final round Mrs. Price beat Miss Van Ostrand, 4 to 3.

HUNTS EVIDENCE FOR PROBE

WASHINGTON, March 30.—Hot on the trail of the "Smelter trust," Representative Martin of Colorado, who has a resolution before the house for its investigation today sent a batch of telegrams to alleged victims of the combine, asking for evidence.

Among the most productive industries of Korea are its gold mines, and especially those controlled by American citizens.

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BAT BOYS STEAL ATHLETIC "JOOLS"

Playing at Baltimore, Cash and Gauds Are Swiped by Custodians of the War Clubs

BALTIMORE, Md., March 30.—Jewelry valued at \$1,500 and over \$200 in cash stolen from the Athletics while they were trouncing the Orioles here yesterday, was recovered late last night. Edwin Leroy Warnick, 14, and Arthur Warnick, his brother, aged 17, were arrested, the former charged with larceny and the latter with receiving stolen goods.

Detectives said Edwin told them he was on the players' bench "tending bats" for the Athletics, and that, while the team was watching yesterday's thirteen inning game in which neither Mobile nor McGraw's men scored.

Larry Doyle Stiff

MOBILE, Ala., March 30.—The sick list of the Giants has recruited Larry Doyle, whose back is stiff, and Meyers, Wilson and Robinson, all of whom are suffering on account of slight hurts. Snodgrass is not feeling well himself, but he caught yesterday's thirteen inning game in which neither Mobile nor McGraw's men scored.

Cubs Buy Clubs

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 30.—With the weather still threatening but with prospects for a game "under sweaters" brighter than yesterday, the Cubs are today all around with "home run bats." The long wallow willows were purchased yesterday. The Cubs had nothing to do but loaf. They purchased their lucky bats last spring.

Dubuc A Real One

NEW ORLEANS, March 30.—Manager Jennings of the Tigers today believes he has a real find in Jean Dubuc, recruit pitcher who performed in such creditable manner in the game with the Pelicans yesterday which the Tigers won, 5 to 1. Cobb got two doubles, while recruit Louder starred with the first home smash of the Tiger season.

Sox Rag Umps

WACO, Texas, March 30.—The White Sox and the locals will stage their second set today. In yesterday's affair, the Sox got their first practice in umpire batting, Captain Lord leading the attack. Wonderful batting by Martick featured the game which the Sox won 11 to 6. The Sox seconds beat San Antonio 8 to 3 yesterday and play in Paris, Texas, today.

Browns vs. Cards

ST. LOUIS, March 30.—The Browns and Cardinals clashed today in the first of a seven game series. It was somewhat chilly for baseball but the early seat sale promised a good crowd.

The probable batteries are: Cardinals—Sallee and Bresnahan; Browns—Lake and Kritchell. Egan and Johnstone will umpire.

Two Games Planned

ATLANTA, Ga., March 30.—One game today and another tomorrow with the Rochester team, will end the New York Highlanders playing here. They will start north tomorrow night.

Toole Improves

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 30.—O'Toole showed marked improvement Camnitz was steady and Hendrick and Adams hurled superbly, so the result was 2 to 0, favor of the regular Pirates yesterday.

HARD SCHEDULE FOR NORMAL BALL BOYS

With the prospects of the strongest baseball team which has yet represented the normal school, a strong schedule has been arranged by Manager Robinson which will include games with such strong teams as Sacred Heart College which will take place April 20th at Prairie du Chien and Plattville normal, here on May 23. Viroqua will be played on May 24 and the schedule is far from being complete as many other strong organizations will also be played. Captain Lawton has a strong squad of candidates out for positions and every place on the team has at least three candidates. At a meeting held yesterday Coach Moore outlined to the men the work for the season and explained the proper methods of keeping in condition for the games. The new athletic field is about cleared of water and is drying fast so it is but a question of a short time when practice will begin on the normal grounds as the men have lately been getting limbered up on a corner lot adjacent to the normal.

BELL SAVES CHRISTIE

FOND DU LAC, Wis., March 30.—The bell saved Gus Christie, the Milwaukee middleweight, from a knockout by Tommy Gavigan here last night. The Milwaukee boy was hanging on at several stages of the contest and was completely outclassed by the Clevelanders.

Bugs Weidell pitched his first game of the year yesterday for the Milwaukee club when he twirled three innings for the Rebels in an exhibition game with the regulars. The Rebels won the contest, 8 to 3. Weidell was on the slab against the regulars for three innings in which time four hits and two scores were made off him. Chappelle, former Eau Claire outfielder, also played with the Rebels.

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WANT MANDOT AND AD

CHICAGO, March 30.—Harry B. Stout of Milwaukee, who has refereed several bouts in New Orleans recently, declared here today that the Rescent city's West Side Athletic club is ready to post a \$17,000 purse for a 20 round fight between Joe Mandot and the Lightweight Champion Ad Wolgast, to be fought within two months.

1,000 POSTAL BANKS

WASHINGTON, March 30.—One thousand postal savings depositories a month, until every village, hamlet, and town in the United States has been supplied, is the program announced by Postmaster General Hitchcock today. A thousand post-offices were designated today to begin the banking business May 1.

It often happens that when a man knows his duty he tries to stave it off by seeking advice.

ILLINI BIG EIGHT TANK MARK HOLDER

CHICAGO, March 30.—Illinois university today holds the "Big Eight" in the swimming honors as a result of the wonderful work of William Vosburg, who scored 22 points in the Patten gymnasium tank at Northwestern university last night. Total score was 38. Northwestern finished second with 21 and Wisconsin third with 17.

Preliminary heats in the 440-yard dash of tonight's Big Eight indoor track meet at the same gymnasium as also were staged last night.

MILLER BEATS BILLINGS

AUGUSTA, Wis., March 29.—Walter Miller of St. Paul defeated Jack Billings in straight falls in a wrestling match here last night. Miller won the first fall in fifteen minutes, and the second in two minutes.

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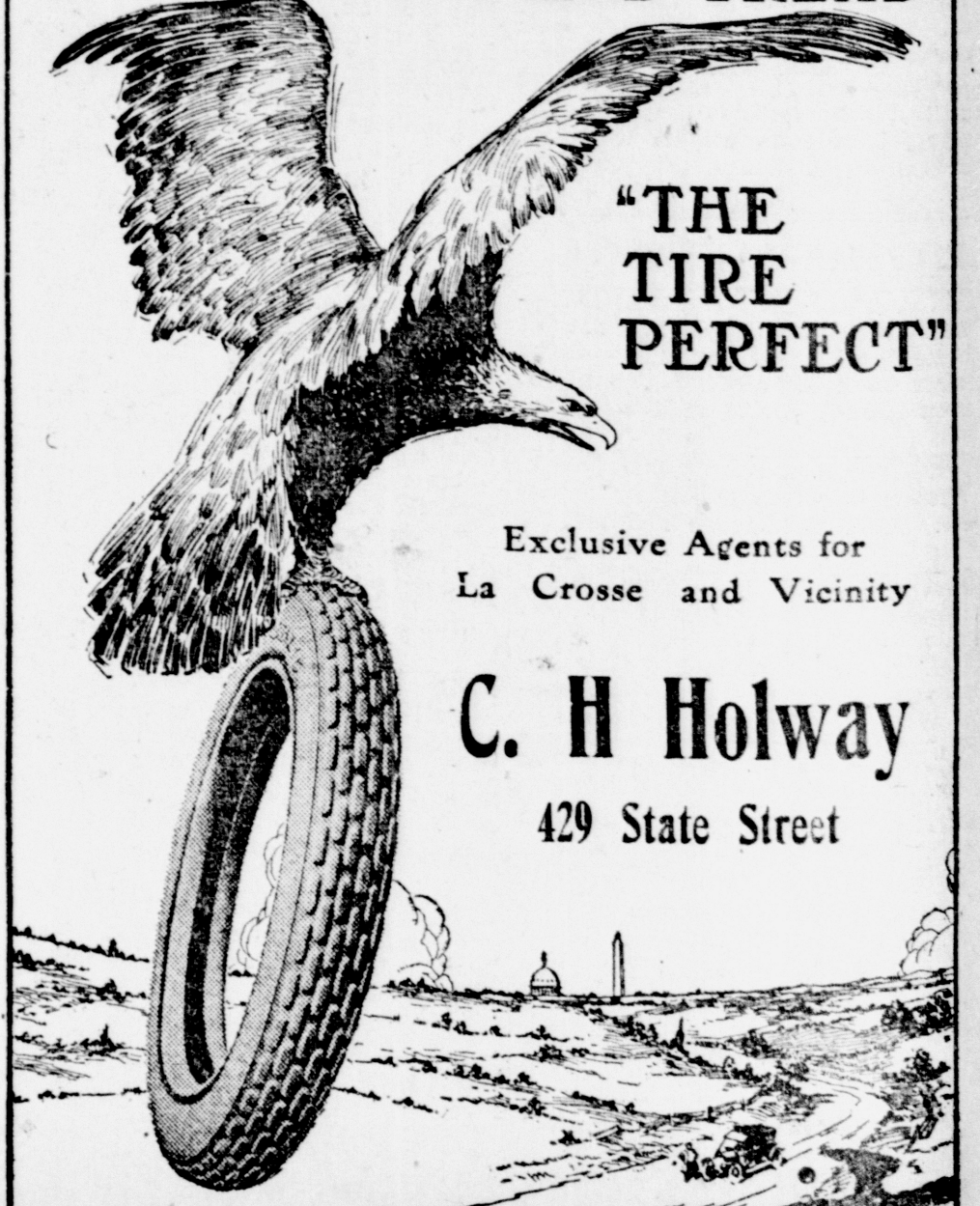
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